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BIG TAX BATTLE BEGINS TO RAGE IN CONGRESS

114 Entombed In Mine After Explosion

Coolidge Favors Ford In Muscle Shoals Deal

Leaders Ready For Opposing Tax Bills In Senate

WASHINGGTON, April 28.—The big tax rates battle is on.

After weeks of maneuvering Senate leaders today unleashed their forces to fight out the income and tuxtax rates which will be levied on the nation next year.

Chairman Reed Smoot of the Finance Committee forced the rate fight when he asked that the Mellon proposal for a 25 per cent surtax be brought up for discussion.

The Mellon proposal was put into the bill by the Senate Finance committee after Democrats decided to postpone their opposition until the matter reached the floor. They did not wish to delay final disposition of the tax bill by putting up a determined fight in committee because they were confident there were no chances of victory before the Senate. Democratic plan is for a 40 per cent reduction.

Progressives want 50 per cent as in the present law. The House adopted a 37½ per cent compromise. Secretary Mellon asks for 25 per cent.

Indications as the fight got under way were that the Democratic rates would triumph. Smoot is determined to force a vote on every possible compromise. When the 25 per cent surtax proposal is defeated—as it is certain to be—Smoot will ask a vote on 36 per cent, then 32½ per cent, then perhaps even 35 per cent.

Belgium Tries Her Hand Now As Mediator

By WEBB MILLER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, April 28—Belgium attempted today to mediate between France and Great Britain in their differences that have arisen over the Dawes expert's report.

Conferences between Premier Theunis and Minister Hymans of Belgium and Premier Poincare started at the Quai D'Orsay at 10 a. m. They were the first official pourparlers on the experts' findings.

While the Belgians were attempting to bring the French and British viewpoints together, Poincare was atempting to renew Franco-Belgian co-operation and realign this united front.

BIG SHOE MANUFACTURER DIES IN ST. LOUIS HOME

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 28.—John C. Roberts, organizer of the greatest shoe manufacturing company in the world, close friend of Woodrow Wilson and owner of the St. Louis Star, is dead.

Roberts died suddenly Sunday of a stomach hemorrhage. He was 70 years old.

Born in Readyville, Tenn., he entered the clothing business in Murfreesboro, Tenn., later moving to Nashville to engage in the clothing business.

In 1880 he came to St. Louis as a salesman for the Hamilton Brown Shoe Company. Seventeen years later he organized the Robertson Johnson and Rand Company and pushed his business aggressively.

Nine years ago with Roberts, Johnson and Rand as a nucleus, he organized the International Shoe Company, the largest in the world.

Among Mexia visitors to Waco Sunday were Messrs. Smith, Hall, Tatum, Corley, Mason, Harris and Lubetkin.

J. D. Arrington and son, Oran, are in Ft. Worth on business today.

BENWOOD, W. Va., April 28.—One hundred and fourteen miners are entombed in the Benwood mine of the Wheeling Steel Corporation today. A gas explosion occurred shortly after the men entered the mine for work.

Workers from all surrounding mines were brought to Benwood mine in automobiles to assist in rescue work.

One hundred and fifty five men entered the mine at 7 this morning. Eleven of them are believed to have escaped the explosion. Miners who escaped donned gas masks and led the searching parties back into the mine.

Mine rescue cars arrived from Pittsburgh and Clarksburg.

Trained workers with rescue apparatus descended into the mine aided by scores of miners recruited from surrounding pits.

The explosion caused no fire, which increases the chances of the entombed miners being brought out alive.

Hundreds gathered around the mine mouth, many of them being women and children.

Dry Crusader's Home Bombed in Chicago Today

CHICAGO, April 28.—Bootleggers bombed the home of Rev. Elmer L. Williams, dry crusader here early today. The entire front of the Williams home was ripped out, but all members of the family escaped with only shock and bruises, caused by being hurled from beds.

Rev. Williams gave the police the names of two notorious bootleggers. He said he had been threatened with death unless he put a stop to his crusades against rum runners.

NEW BOSTON, Texas, April 28.—New Boston voted $130,000 for road improvement at a special election.

Miss Estelle Bauder spent Sunday in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Adair of Groesbeck were Mexia visitors Saturday night.

Harry G. Porter was a Mart visitor Sunday.

Corliss Palmer Sued for $200,000.

CORLISS PALMER

In 1920 Corliss Palmer, cigar counter clerk in Macon, Ga., won a beauty contest staged by a motion picture magazine owned by Bruce Brewster, millionaire New York publisher. At the invitation of Brewster and his wife, she came to live with them while filling a motion picture contract. Later Brewster purchased a $250,000 estate for her at Morristown, N. J., where she lived with her mother and Brewster. Now Mrs. Brewster, who refuses to get a divorce, has sued her for $200,000 for alleged alienation of affections.

MEN WHO FIGURE IN THE NEWS OF THE DAY.

Above - Henry C. Wallace, Smith W. Brookhart, Raymond Poincare.
Below - Eugene O'Neill, Ramsay MacDonald, Burton K. Wheeler.

In a series of notes that have passed between Raymond Poincare and Ramsay MacDonald, Great Britain's First Labor Premier has frankly told the French Premier that France's policy since the World War is breeding a new war. Despite protests, the Provincetown Players, of New York, will produce Eugene O'Neill's play, "All God's Chillun's Got Wings," in which Miss Mary Blair, a white actress, kneels before and kisses the hand of Paul Robeson, full-blooded negro actor. U. S. Senator Smith W. Brookhart, of Iowa, heads the Senate committee that will investigate the official acts of Attorney-General Harry M. Daugherty. U. S. Senator Burton K. Wheeler, of Montana, has challenged Daugherty to name any Senator he thinks should resign because of his official actions. Steaks from buffalo have been sent to Secretary of Agriculture Henry C. Wallace from Montana to show that the meat is equally as good as beef.

One Dead And Heavy Loss From Cigarette Fire

LOWELL, Mass., April 28.—A smouldering cigarette, carelessly tossed on the floor, is believed to have caused the fire here Sunday which destroyed seven buildings in the heart of the city.

One fireman, Captain Edward P. Cunningham, was killed when a wall buckled and he was buried beneath an avalanche of stones.

Eight other firemen were injured by falling debris.

It is estimated the damage will be more than $500,000.

BANKERS OPEN U. S. ANNUAL MEETING IN CITY OF AUGUSTA GA.

AUGUSTA, Ga., April 28.8—Immediate action by Congress on the tax revisions plans would be the greatest help American business men could have at this time, Walter W. Head, of Omaha, Neb., President of the American Bankers' Association, said in opening the meeting of the association's executive council here today.

"Taxes being a part of the expense of doing business a business man has to know what they are to be," he said. "If Congress would not do so much investigating and get the tax question settled business all over the country would be on a sounder footing.

CONGRESS TO PRINT SOMETHING IN RECORD

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Congress todahy will be asked to give nationwide publicity, through the Congressional Record to a voluminous denial by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon of charges that Government bonds have been duplicated. Mellon in a report to President Coolidge said that duplication charges made by Charles E. Brewer, Department of Justice agent, had been completely disproved by an exhaustive investigation by the Treasury Department itself.

Russell Reed of Coolidge is one of the issue editors of The Daily Texan, published by students of the University of Texas. The Daily Texans bears the distinction of being edited, printed and circulated by students of the University.

BREWER'S NOTORIOUS SON DIES ENDING CAREER SPENT SPENDIN MILLIONS LEFT HIM BY FATHER

PARIS, April 28.—The career of George Burton, nee Bernheimer, sometimes gay, sometimes tragic, always notorious, came to an end Saturday night when the New Yorker whose greatest fame resulted from his beng left waiting at the church by Charlotte Demarest, was found dead in bed from a blood clot at the base of the brain. He had spent the night on Montmartre, scene of many of his most lavish entertainments.

George Burton, whose real name was Bernheimer, preferred Paris to New York as a scene for his activities, which were largely devoted to entertaining with his share of his father's $4,000,000 fortune. Previous to coming to Paris, Bernheimer gained much notoriety in New York by his lavish parties.

His uncle, Simon Bernheimer, died suddenly while playfully beating a drum in New York in 1911. His father Max, died while testifying in a damage suit in the Supreme Court. His mother was Mrs. Frederick Houseman.

On May 9, 1922, Bernheimer, now Burton, was to have married the charming debutante, Miss Charlotte Demarest. But that morning she and young Count Edward George Zichy of Hungary slipped away and were married in the Municipal chapel.

ATTORNEY'S FOR MAYFIELD ASK DECISION AS TO VOTES

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Attorneys for Senator Mayfield today demanded that the Senate committee investigating the Mayfield-Peddy election contest decide the legality of votes cast in the election before beginnig the hearings. If charges made by our opponents are legal then Mayfield will be automatically thrown out of office, Cumbrunn said. Luther Nickels, attorney for George Peddy, contesting Mayfield's election, demanded that the committee proceed with the hearing.

QUARANTINE PLAN IS NOW IN EFFECT.

PHOENIX, Arizona, April 28.—Arizona's disinfection of all railroad passengers from California as a preventive against the foot and mouth disease, became effective today. At three points—Yuma, Wickenburg, and Kingman—incoming travelers subjected themselves to disinfection solution strong enough to kill any lurking germs. Baggage was also fumigated

British World Flier Forced Down In Sand

KARACHI, India, April 28.—Forced down onto the sandy wastes of the Sind desert near Bali, Major MacLaren today left his British round-the-world flight plane under armed guard and returned to Karachi in search of a new engine.

The British globe girdling effort probably will be delayed at least a fortnight by the accident to MacLaren's machine which interrupted flight from Karachi Saturday.

It is reported the British airman will find it impossible to find the necessary engine or parts in India and that an engine will have to be brought from Iraq by steamer.

MacLaren's accumulated flying time from England to Partu, the desert town where he descended Saturday is 73 hours and 13 minutes.

ONE DIES IN BIG EXPLOSION.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 28.—One man was killed today in an explosion which rocked buildings within radius of three square blocks. Authorities believed the man was carrying a quantity of nitrogyycerine which exploded. His identity was not established.

SENSATION SPRUNG IN SENATE WHEN TELEGRA. IS READ BY SENATOR NORRIS BEFORE BODY

WASHINGTON, April 28.—A sensation was sprung in the Senate Agricultural Committee today when Chairman Norris read into the record a telegram in which President Coolidge was quoted as saying that he hoped Henry Ford would not do or say anything "that will make it difficult for me to deliver Muscle Shoals to him as I am trying to do." The telegram, which was one of a number turned over to the committee under a subpoena to the local telegraph company, was sent to William J. Cameron or Ernest G. Liebold, care Dearborn Independent, Detroit, by James Martin Miller, National Press Club, Washington. Liebold is Ford's private secretary.

Secretary of War Weeks, who was on the stand when Norris sprung the telegram, disclaimed any knowledge of the matter reported in it or of President Coolidge's attitude concerning the Ford offer. Weeks declared that he did not believe the president had made any such statement.

The Ford interview referred to in the message, was a scathing attack on Weeks for his sale of the Georgas Power Plant to the Alabama Power Company.

Major Leaguers Getting Stride Toward Pennant

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, April 28.—After a lot of jostling and bumping around at the start the strong clubs of the major leagues are getting into their stride and the team standing begins to look more familiar as the third week of the pennant races approaches.

The Yankees and the Cubs jumped into second place yesterday behind the league leading Tigers and Giants while the Athletics and the Reds slipped down a notch to third place.

The Tigers and the Giants are holding the lead by playing the best ball of the early season. They are both getting effective pitching and timely hitting.

By a drive which featured the past week the champion Yanks climbed up into second place. The team is getting the expected results now from its star pitching staff and it has applied its scattered hitting at the most opportune times.

The Cincinnati Reds are losing when their pitching does not hold up and that was to be expected as the team has not the offensive punch to bet by when its pitching is 95 per cent.

After feasting off the Braves and the Robins, the Giants are reaching the end of the easy spots that were given them by the schedule. The National League champions have won three of their eight games from the Braves and the other five from the Robins.

Compared to this rather easy assignment the Cubs have won one game from the Reds, one from the Pirates and six from the Cards. The Reds have done best against the hardest opposition by winning three games from the Cubs and four from the Pirates.

The Yankees have taken five games from the Red Sox, two from the Senators and one from the Athletics while the Tigers have taken two from the White Sox, three from the Indians and three from the Browns.

With all their vaunted punching power, the Indians have been finding that pitching is the most important part of the defense and that a defense is necessary even with a powerful offensive. The hitting of Heilman, star outfielder for the Detroit Tigers and Grantham, the young Cub second base man have been big features of the early season.

MAN CHARGED WITH MURDER IS JAILED

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., April 28. Clarence Baring, accused by his wealthy wife of putting arsenic in her food, was held without bail today when arraigned on a charge of attempted murder. He was remanded to jail to await the action of the grand jury, which is expected to return an indictment against him.

Frenchman May Be In Front of British Flier

PARIS, April 28.—Lieut. Pelletier D'Oisy, French airman who set out from Paris Thursday a dash for distance flight honor is believed to have overtaken A. S. N. MacLaren, British flyer who left England last month.

D'Oisy, attempting a flight to Japan which may be extended into an around-the-world effort, was last reported to have taken off from Basra, a frontier city of Asiatic Turkey near the Persian Gulf, for Karachi.

Major MacLaren flew from Karachi Saturday, but was forced down in the Sird desert and is returning to Karachi by train to obtain new engine parts.

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, April 28—The foreign exchange rates were slightly irregular at the opening.

Sterling 439 1-8; francs 0650 1-2; Lire 0148; Belgian 0560 1-2; marks 1,5000, billion to the dollar.

Opening

Opening prices on the stock exchange today include American Can 103, up 1-8; American sugar 42 1-2, up 1-4; Studebaker 85 1-2, off 3-8; Norfolk and Western 122 1-4, up 3-4; New Haven 18 1-8, up 1-8; Texas Company 41 3-4, up 1-8; U. S. Steel 100 1-4, off 5-8; Marland preferred 37 7-8; Cosden 33 1-4, off 1-4; Cuba Cane preferred 59; Congoleum 41 3-8, up 1-4; Marland 35; North American 33 1-4.

CHIEF OF POLICE IS ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

COMMERCE, Okla., April 28.—C. M. Fly, chief of police, was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of a revolver in the hands of Troy Leveridge, a deputy, while the two were raiding an alleged gambling den here early Sunday.

Hugh Freeman is home from Dallas where he spent Sunday with his brother, W. D. Freeman, who is there in the Baptist sanitarium. The latter will be able to return the latter part of the week.

AUSTIN, Texas, April 28.—Alton Nichols, 20, high school student, killed himself with a shotgun. He had been in ill health.

TEXARKANA, Texas, April 28.—Clifford Daniels, 16, accidentally shot himself to death while shooting at a stray dog which was chasing chickens in his backyard.

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, April 28.—R. F. Struwe, Caldwell, A. & M. student here, was drowned in a lake near the campus Sunday while swimming.

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REDUCING TAXES AT HOME

Much comment and some study are being given to the subject of State taxation today. This is due to the gubernatorial campaign, which is lighting its fires all over the big state. By June, the state will be aflame with the discussions, more comments and more thought. It is well that this is so.

One of the best things about a representative government such as this people enjoy is that when ambitious representatives go before the people they discuss matters of government which should be of concern and intelligently understood by every citizen.

But while thinking of taxes, as applied to the state of Texas, no citizen should forget that he has a duty at home. There are taxes and more taxes. There are Federal and State taxes; there are county taxes; there are school taxes, good roads taxes, city taxes and other taxes.

Every citizen is interested in the subject of tax reduction, although it is entirely reasonable to assume that no thoughtful citizen would agree to reductions calculated to cripple the city, school district, county, state or nation.

The best way on earth to foster by tax funds worthy institutions and programs is to tax all property on the same basis, without regard to class favoritism or political preferment.

If all the wealth in Mexia bore its proportionate share of local taxes, it would lighten the burden falling today on the shoulders of the people who pay the taxes. The man who has little wealth usually cannot conceal it. If he owns a little home, there it is for the tax assessor to see. Perhaps it cost him $3,000. He may yet own $1500 of that. But the tax assessor comes along. He talks freely with him and they decide upon taxing it, say for $2100. The Board of Equalization goes over the list and when it comes to this man, it considers the case earnestly and perhaps lets it stand at that. He is even then paying on a more than 100 per cent basis of what he actually owns, supposing his equity in the little place cost him $1500. In the meantime hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of property is invisible to the tax assessor and board of equalization and its disclosure is solely in the hands of te possessor. It naturally escapes taxation.

These perplexities have puzzled cities for many years. The Somers system of taxation has been adopted in many places. Dallas today applies the Somers plan. So does Hillsboro and many other places in Texas. Ennis is now considering it. Boards of equalization everywhere hail its introduction and establishment with pleasure, for theirs, at the best, is by no means an easy task.

The chief feature of the plan is that the city where the system is to be applied is completely surveyed by experts, so that there need be no guesswork as to the value of a piece of property but each and everyone are taxed on a scientific and accurate basis.

Its chief virtue is in the just equalization and reduction of taxes.

Certainly such a plan should merit the study and investigation of those interested in the improvement of Mexia. While Ennis, a nearby city, is making her decision, why should not Mexia also invite representatives of the Somers system to come here and present the matter in detail.

Let Mexia take full opportunity to profit by the exepriences of others, seeking for herself the good and rejecting the bad.

TOMOTOES AND ORANGES CURE MANY ILLS IN BABIES AND PEOPLE OF ALL AGES AS WELL

DENTON, Texas, April 26.—Tomatoes and oranges prevent scurvy, a disease known to the ancients and prevalent also among moderns, and especially babies and young children. It has been found that over half of our young children suffered from scurvy in a mild or more aggravated form. Much so-called rheumatism common in the spring is probably really scurvy, resulting from too little vitamin—found in fresh fruits and vegetables—in the winter diet. Serve tomatoes or oranges to every member of the family at least once a day. Cooked tomatoes are practically as good as raw, one of the few foods in which the vitamin is not destroyed in cooking, due to the presence of acid.

Breakfast: Sliced oranges with powdered sugar; oatmeal, cream and sugar; plain fluffy omelet; Graham bread, toast; coffee.

Luncheon: Corn au gratin; wilted lettuce with bacon strips; rolls; fruit conserve; tea.

Dinner: Baked ham in sweet milk; scalloped Irish potatoes; buttered beets; bread; butter; strawberry short cake.

Corn au Gratin.

Take one can corn, season with salt and pepper, heat in a sauce pan and add two tablespoon butter. Remove from fire and add one egg well beaten Line a casserole with dry bread crumbs buttered, put in a layer of corn and sprinkle with grated cheese. Add remaining corn, a thin layer of bread crumbs and cover the top with grated cheese. Dash a few grams of red pepper on top. Bake in a moderate oven twenty minutes.

Baked Ham in Milk.

Select a piece of ham cut three inches thick and with little bone. Rub well and rub about 3 T. brown sugar into the ham. Place in a baking dish and pour over 1 and 1-2 c. of sweet milk. Cook with the cover on until done. Remove the cover and brown on top

Breakfast.

Cream of wheat and dates; sugar and cream; scrambled eggs and chopped ham (left over;) bran muffins; butter; coffee; sugar; cream.

Luncheon.

Sweet breads or rice cakes; stewed tomatoes; nut bread; butter; orange marmalade; tea

Dinner.

Baked potatoes; veal birds; creamed carrots; jelly; bread; butter; grape fruit and orange salad; cream pie; coffee.

Creamed Sweet Breads.

Add parboiled sweet breads broken into small pieces to 2 cups medium white sauce (4 T. butter, 4 T. flour, 2 c. milk) reheat and serve on toast. If toast is too hard it may be dipped very quickly into boiling salted water.

Rice Cakes.

To 2 c. boiled rice add one egg, one t. sugar. If not soft enough add a little milk, cream or melted butter. Shape into flat cakes 1-2 inch thick. Roll in bread crumbs and saute in butter. 2 T. of grated cheese may be added if these are served without sweet breads.

DENTON, Texas, April 28.—The Women's Missionary Society of the North Texas Conference of Methodist Church met here today. Two hundred delegates attended.

HEARNE, Texas, April 28.—Mrs. Eliza Welch, pioneer Texan, died at her home here at the age of 90 years.

J. S. Stewart was in Waco Sunday.

FIGHTS AND FIGHTERS

NEW YORK—Owing to excessive financial demands made by Luis Firpo, Tex Rickard announced that he had notified his representative to discontinue all discussion with the South American champion. Rickard said Firpo demanded $250,000 for meeting Harry Wills and had shown that he was afraid of Wills by turning down an offer of $200,000.

GENEVA.—Clement, light heavyweight champion of Switzerland, claimed the European championship today after winning a 20 round decision from Bronhell, French champion.

NEW YORK.—Erminio Spalla, European heavyweight champion, who has contracted to appear in a number of contests for Tex Rickard, is scheduled to arrive today from South America. Spalla probably will do his training in New Jersey.

JURORS PROBING INTO MURDER OF WEALTHY WOMAN

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., April 28. Charges that Clarence E. Baring administered arsenic to his wealthy wife in an attempt to murder her were to be presented to a grand jury here today as authorities delved deeper into the strange tales of intrigue and jealousy that surrounded the life of the couple.

District Attorney Arthur Rowland of Westchester County also charges that has evidence that pneumonia and diptheria germs were given the wealthy woman.

Baring is held in the county jail without bail and will be arraigned today.

The authorities charge that for three months Baring—an amateur chemist—fed arsenic and germs to his wife in stuffed dates, malted milk, gingerale and other foods. They say her frequent illness from the poison first caused suspicion to point towards the husband.

Mrs. Baring is described as jealous and has accused her husband of relations with another woman.

The couple on the verge of divorce a year ago but a reconciliation ended with a second honeymoon to Europe.

Friends say Baring is a neurotic with a passion for studying chemistry. He has a small laboratory in his home. They feel his bent for chemistry may have resulted in his experimenting on his wife.

THE WEATHER

East Texas.—Tonight and Tuesday partly cloudy and unsettled. Somewhat warmer in northeast tonight, and in north and west Tuesday.

West Texas.—Tonight partly cloudy and warmer in north. Tuesday partly cloudy and warmer in southwest.

R. G. Rooker was a Corsicana visitor Sunday.

CALL, Texas, April 27.—Five hundred employes of the Kirby Lumber company here were without work today following a fire which destroyed the sawmill. Loss from the flames was approximately $100,000.

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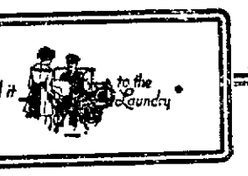

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May First Dedicated To Children In Nation-Wide Festival Planned To Stimulate Health Activities

PHOTO. KEYSTONE

A nation-wide demonstration with a purpose which its sponsors anticipate will have an instant appeal to the minds and hearts of all America is that planned for May Day of this year by the officials of the American Child Health Association.

The day, always associated with childhood in its happiest mood, has been dedicated by the Association as the one most fitting on which to carry on a program devised to awaken the interest of grown-ups in the health and happiness of the nation's boys and girls. President Calvin Coolidge, all the governors, municipal authorities, prominent educators and ministers are united with millions of parents in this great effort to carry before the public the gospel of child health.

Officials of the Association, among whom are many of the successful American authorities on social problems, selected May Day for their programs so that the festivals associated with that daff might be held, but they have given the day an additional designation of great significance— they call it "take heed day" for the parents. The Association will have considered its task worth while if the interest of the community is aroused in the concerted effort to safeguard the health of the boys and girls of the nation.

Traditional customs of the Day will have a large part in the observance. The picturesque hanging of May baskets, the colorful pageants and, of course, May Pole dancing are to be included in the programs. The festival spirit will predominate.

Herbert Hoover, president of the American Child Health Association, discussed the May Day program in a call to the grown-ups of America to join in the demonstration.

"We wish to emphasize the fact," he says, "that child health is the personal concern of every citizen of the United States.

In a single sentence the Association's president sums up just what the organization seeks to accomplish by the May Day observance.

"This," he says, "is a problem of maintaining health rather than of curing disease."

Just a year ago, President Hoover published the American Child's Bill of Rights, and it still is the platform on which the Association is carrying on its work. He then declared that there "should be no child in America who:

"Is not born under proper conditions.

"Does not live in hygienic surroundings.

"Ever suffers from malnutrition.

"Does not have an opportunity for outdoor play.

"Does not have prompt and efficient medical inspection and attention.

"Does not receive primary instruction in the elements of hygiene and health."

It is in an effort to induce every community to translate this Bill of Rights into living facts that the Association has planned the May Day celebration. Miss Crandall is the organization's associate general executive.

The Association has its headquarters at 370 Seventh Avenue, New York City.

Look Out For Grasshoppers

R. R. REPPERT
Entomologist

Farmers in many parts of Texas are fearful lest last years damage from grasshoppers may be repated this season. From some of our western counties are coming reports of grasshoppers already hatching, although at this early date no damage has yet resulted.

It is difficult to forsee what the outcome may be. Last year the dry weather reduced the pasture growth and drove the hoppers to the cultivated field bringing about heavy damage that might otherwise have been avoided. With the moisture in the soil this season it is possible that even if large numbers of the hoppers emerge they will remain in the pastures and the damage to cultivated crops may thus be light.

At the same time, farmers should be fully prepared to wage a fight if necessary. Success in saving the crops will depend mainly in promptness in destroying the hoppers previous to their actual entrance into the fields. Do not wait until they have destroyed half the fields.

The following formula is the one recommended, having been used with success in Texas as well as in other states.

Wheat bran, 25 pounds
White arsenic or Paris green, 1 pound
Lemons or oranges, 6 fruits
Low grade cane or sorghum molasses, 2 quarts
Water 2 gallons.

Mix the bran and poison thoroughly while dry. Dilute the molasses with the amount of water as named. Squeeze the lemon juice into this diluted molasses, then grind the rind of the lemons with a meat chopper and add this also to the liquid. Now mix the liquid thoroughly with the poison bran mixture. After an even mixture has been obtained, add more water and mix, until a mash is obtained so that after being squeezed in the hand, it readily falls apart.

Grasshoppers feed in the morning, and as the bait loses its attractiveness when dry, it should be applied so as to be as moist as possible at this time. It will therefore be best to put it out about sunrise. Provided the ground is not so hot and dry as to remove the moisture during the night, it may be put out late in the evening in case the area to be treated is too extensive to be quickly covered in early morning. The mixture should be scattered, as if sowing seed, by hand, or any type of seeder capable of distributing it. The amount given in the formula should cover about five acres.

Where the hoppers have become distributed over the cultivated field, the entire area should be sown, and this application repeated in a few days if necessary. If the hoppers are found to be advancing from pasture lands, distribute the mash in front of their line of march for a distance of a couple of hundred yards, keping also the margin of the pasture land treated daily until the danger of damage has passed.

The mixture should be made exactly as directed, leaving out no part. Where the infestation is general, community action is recommended The materials should be provided in large quantities, and a large amount of the mixture made up at a central place late in the evening, or better, well before daylight in the morning. Each farmer will then take his portion and apply immediately.

Suggested Steps in Carrying Out a Campaign

1. Watch for numbers of the insects in the pastures and along the fences.

2. If found abundant there, locate sources of the various ingredients of the formula (write the wholesale drug companies in the larger cities of Texas regarding supplies and prices of the poison.)

3. Have the County Commissioners establish a revolving fund for the purchase of poison and its resale to farmers at cost.

4. If the hoppers threaten the crops, start action at once. Establish mixing plants.

5. Persist in the fight till the insects are destroyed and the crops saved.

Be guided by the advice of your county agent, such assistance will be given by the Extension Entomologist as is physically possible.

A Substitute for the Fruit in the Formula Above

Experiments in Montana have shown that amyl acetate, substituted for lemons, has increased the effectiveness of the poison bait. The most effective formula there appeared to be as follows:

Wheat bran, 25 pounds.
Salt, 1 pound.
White arsenic or Paris green, 1 pound
Low grade cane or sorghum molasses, 2 quarts
Amly acetate, 1 oz.
Water 10 quarts.

Amyl acetate as a substitute for the fruit has been tested in Texas by the Federal entomologist, and while the results were successful, we hardly think the work has been sufficiently extensive as to justify us in giving this latter formula our unqualified endorsement. We suggest that farmers stick to the first formula, and experiment on a small scale with this latter formula. Amyl acetate has the advantage of being much cheaper. Use only high grades of amyl acetate noted as "C. P.", "U. S. P" or "technical," and avoid compounds presented as "banana oil", "bronzing liquids," or "amyl acetate deviratives," which contain so little of the active material and so many impurities as to make them unadapted to grasshopper work.

Denton Women Indorse Edwards

The following resolution endorsing W. C. Edwards of Denton for the Democratic nomination for Lieutenant Governor was unanimously adopted at a general meeting February 4 of the Ariel Club, the oldest and largest women's club in Denton County:

"The Citizenship Committee of the Ariel Club wishes to ask the women of the club to give their unanimous and enthusiastic support to Mr. W. C. Edwards, who is a candidate for the position of Lieutenant Governor of Texas.

Mr. Edwards has been a citizen of Denton since he was a small boy and represents the type of man of whom his townsmen are justly proud. Denton owes him a debt of gratitude for editing one of the cleanest and most interesting newspapers in the State. Every undertaking that has been for the welfare of Denton has been backed by Mr. Edwards, both by his personal efforts and through the columns of the Record-Chronicle.

Wise indeed was Denton County when it elected Mr. Edwards as Representative to the Thirty-eighth Legislature, for there was no member of the House who made a finer reputation. His work was of the nature that counts, being done principally in the committee rooms, and his influence was felt in the entire Legislative body. For all educational measures he labored untiringly and he gave his valuable support to the bills in which women of the State were deeply concerned.

As Lieutenant Governor, Mr. Edwards will be President of the Senate, a position that carries with it opportunity for much effect work, so we are urging you not only to endorse M. Edwards but also to take some active part in assuring the success of his campaign.

(Signed)

MARY E. JAGOE,
EDITH L. CLARK,
MARY B. SCHWEER."

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Yesterday's hero: Ty Cobb.

The ancient manager of the Detroit Tigers stole home for the second time, and helped beat the White Sox 4 to 3. A pass to Pratt in the ninth inning with the bases full pushed over the winning run.

Jacques Fournier accounted for five Brooklyn runs with two homers but the Giants won out 9 to 5.

Nine runs scored by heavy batting in the first two innings enabled the Yankees to beat the Athletics 11 to 2 before a crowd of 50,000.

Bunched hits in two innings scored two runs each and the Cubs went into second place by beating the Pirates, 4 to 2.

The Indians out-punched the St. Louis Browns in a heavy hitting game and won, 10 to 9. Speaker, Williams, Roberts and McManus hit homers.

Bunching their hits in the late innings the Senators out-slugged the Red Sox and won 9 to 6. The Red Sox pulled a triple play.

Two runs scored in the ninth inning off Jake May gave the Cards a 6 to 4 victory over the Reds.

Sunday's Home Run Hitters.

	Total
Fournier, Robins, 2	3
McManus, Browns, 1	3
Speaker, Indians, 1	2
Barnhart, Pirates, 1	2
Williams, Browns, 1	1
Roberts, Browns, 1	1
Dykes, Athletics, 1	1
Rigney, Tigers, 1	1

Home Run Leaders.

Hornsby, Cards	4
Ruth, Yanks	3
Fournier, Robins,	3
McManus, Browns	3
Grnantham, Cubs	3

With Ruth at Bat.

First innings—walked.
Second inning—doubled to right.
Third inning—walked.
Fifth inning—walked.
Seventh inning—sacrifice fly to center.

CITY ATTORNEY WALTERS MAN HONORED AT OLD HOME

Judge G. A. Walters, City Attorney of Mexia, has been in San Saba, his former home, during the past week. While there, the newspapers in San Saba carried the following accounts of his presence there:

San Saba Star

Major G. A. Walters of Mexia is here attending district court, and incidentally, giving his oldtime friends the glad hand, all of whom are glad to see him. Here, where he has spent something less than 40 years of his life, it is not "Major" but just plain, common everyday "Ab" Walters with out the extra prefixes to his name. He has been engaged in the trial of cases continuously since his arrival. He is universally liked by all our people and there has never been a practicing attorney here who has greater weight with a jury in this county than Ab Walters. Since Ab arrived back in his old home he gets to reminiscing about the stately pecan trees along the river and the ravenous appetite of the blue cats and bass that sport in her sparkling waters and there is just a faint glimmer in his demeanor that he wished he hadn't done it, but he then branches off into a laudatory spiel of the wonderful section of which Mexia is the capital. We are glad to know that the "Major" is prospering in his new home, but we'll bet he comes back home when he gets all the money he wants—for fishing is fine and the ozone—Oh! boy.

Maybe he'll come back and give an address to the graduating class of 1924. For he too, at one time belonged to the graduating class of the San Saba High School. We know of no one who could fill the bill on this occasion as well as Ab Walters.

Hon. G. A. Walters Attending Court This Week

San Saba News.

Hon. G. A. Walters of Mexia is representing clients in district court in San Saba this week. Mr. Walters practiced at the bar here for many years and is well known to the people of this entire county. Mr. Walters is a successful lawyer and an all round good citizen and live wire. His many friends rejoice in his successes in his new field, where he has lived the past two years and where he has built up a lucrative law practice and become identified with the business interests of his town. He is City Attorney of his busy bustling oil city and when those Central Texas people want to put up Ab Walters for Attorney General the old San Saba friends will be close up to their warm side and helping them to "carry on."

GILMER, Texas, April 28.—Dr. W. Hyde was released under bonds of $7,500 after being indicted for the murder of Dick Atkinson at Big Sandy.

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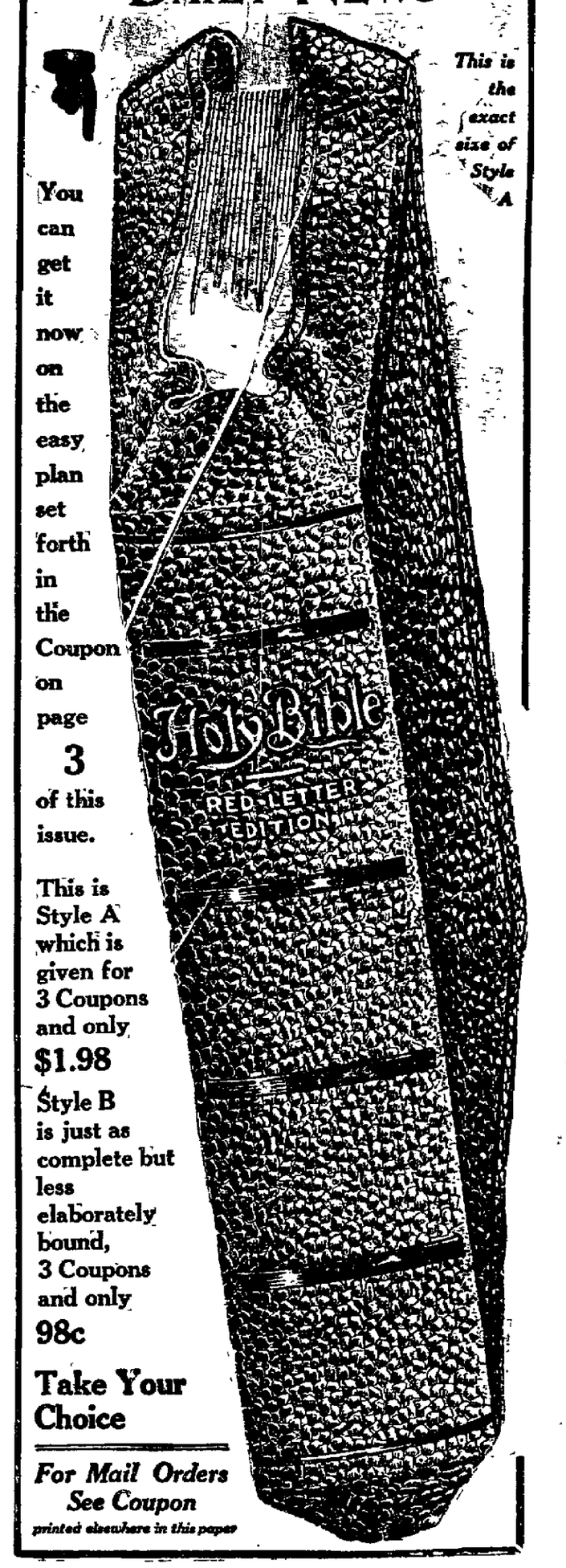

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KIRBY HALL TO BE HOME FOR METHODIST STUDENTS

AUSTIN, Texas, April 28.—Designed to furnish a home for more than 100 Methodist students attending the University of Texas, the Helen Marr Kirby Hall is soon to be a reality. Construction of the first floor of the immense dormitory, located five blocks north of the campus on Guadalupe Street has been completed and by the opening of the fall term, the $124,000 building will be ready for occupancy.

It is to be not only beautiful, but thoroughly modern in every respect, with brick facing over a heavily reinforced steel structure, making it practically fireproof.

The architect's plans call for three reception rooms, a large one to provide for general gatherings, and two small ones for more limited grouping of the girls and their friends. The modern features will be improved by the addition of a laundry, and a small kitchenette for private use.

The dormitory is named for the late Helen Marr Kirby, who was for thirty-seven years the dean of women at the University of Texas. Mrs. Kirby was one of the outstanding women of Methodism while she was connected with the University. The hundreds and thousands of girls who came under her influence on the campus, were active in raising the necessary funds for the building.

The movement to build the Hall began in 1918, when Southern Methodist Centenary undertook to build a girls dormitory at Oklahoma, Texas and Missouri universities, and $200,000 was set aside for the purpose. The Methodist women of Texas raised $58,000; and this sum, added to their share of $66,000 given by the Southern Methodist centenary brought the total to $124,000, which is to be the cost of the building.

The home of Mr and Mrs. F. W. Welch is going up rapidly on Ross Avenue. It will be ready for occupancy within a very short while Many new homes are contemplated in the city which will be built this spring and summer. As the cotton mills plans begin to mature scores of others are expected here. Come to Mexia.

C. O. Shields was a business visitor to Corsicana Saturday.

MANY ROTARIANS HOLD 100 PER CENT CARDS FOR YEAR

According to the records in the book of Secretary Ben F. Stollenwerck of the Mexia Rotary club 31 Rotarians have attended every meeting of the club, during the year 1924, or since they joined.

In addition to these 12 members have missed only one meeting during this period.

The 100 per cent Rotarians are J. D. Arrington, George H. Bell, Elmer Beene, Albert H. Berry, Bob Crow, Carl Davis, J. W. Elliott, A. Hardy Eubanks, Nelson Forrest, Paul B. Harper, Frazier Hendricks, Jim Hodges, Bill Kendrick, Perier McKenzie, Mac McIntosh, Ruben Maddox, David Murphy, Tom Nolan, John Neece Pat Patterson Duke Pittman, John Prickett, Cap. Puckett, Ernest Strange, Buck Tidwell, Dick Wagner, Cecil White.

Here is a list of the Charter Members of the club who still show 100 per cent all the way through: Albert Berry, Hardy Eubanks, Tom Nolan.

Friends Planning Memorial Library For Dean Townes

AUSTIN, Texas, April 28.—In memory of the late Judge John C. Townes, dean of the University of Texas Law School for 16 years, plans are being made by the factulty of the Law School to establish a $100,000 library for legal research to be known as the Townes Memorial Library.

"Various proposals were considered," said Dr. G. C. Butte, dean of the Law School," and it was decided that the memorial should be perpetual, should respect the dignity, character, and intellectual interests of Judge Townes, and should be practically useful to the bench, the bar, the factulty and students of the law school. At least one hundred thousand dollars is to be raised, fifty thousand to be expended in books, periodicals and documents in legal history, science and philosophy, with special relation to the jurisprudence of Texas, that are not usually available in a lawyer's working library and for which we cannot reasonably expect the Legislature to make appropriation under present conditions.

"The remaining $50,000 is to constitute an endowment, the income of which is to be used annually for new additions to this library. The fund is to be vested in a board of trustees, elected by the donors. The library will be separately housed, as an annex to the regular library of the Law School, and the Regents will be asked to provide a fire proof room for the Townes collection. It is proposed that the library, being primarily for advanced legal research and composed of many rare books, will be open not only to the factulty and students of the Law School, but to members of the bench and bar at all times.

FORT WORTH.—The Texas railroad commission will listen to shipper's complaints against alleged high freight rates on bricks in a hearings here on June 16.

Marvin Webb was a Waco visitor Sunday.

LOU TELLEGEN
At the National Today.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS.

Tuesday.

Tuesday Bridge Club meets.

Odd Fellows meet at K. P. Hall in the evening.

Wednesday.

Knights Templars meet at Masonic Hall for degree work.

Prayer meeting at all local churches

Delphian Club meets at Public Library.

Thursday.

Springfield Lodge No. 74 A. F. and A. M. meets at Masonic Hall in the evening.

Knights of Pythias meet at K. of P. Hall for second rank work.

Rotary Club luncheon at Majestic cafe at 12:15 p. m.

Camp Fire Girls meet.

Sumpter Street Parent-Teachers Association meets at school house.

7-A Literary Club meets at McKinney Street School.

Friday.

Lions Club luncheon at Majestic cafe at 12:30 p. m.

Friday Club meets.

All local Scout troops meet.

Rebeccas meet at K. of P. Hall.

Saturday.

Junior Dramatic club meets at Public Library.

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The Boy Scouts enjoyed their usual weekly meetings at their respective meeting places Friday night.

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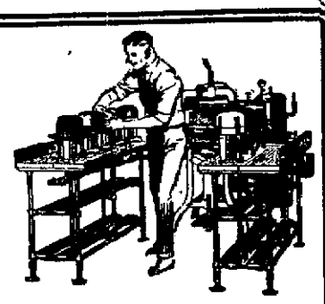

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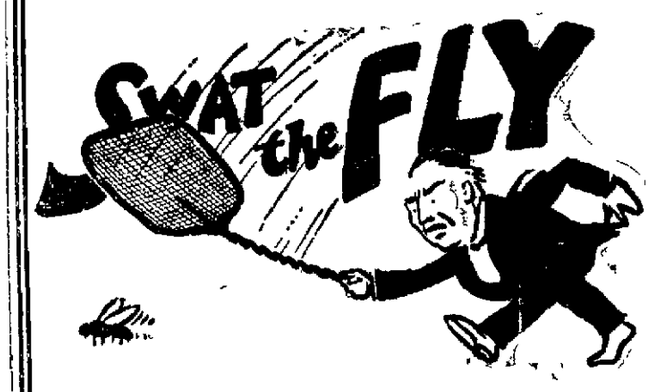

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ORDINANCE of the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, determining the necessity of levying an assessment against the property and the owners thereof on a portion of Kaufman Street, in the City of Mexia, for a part of the cost of improving said street, and fixing a time for hearing of the owners or agents of said owners of said property or of any person interested in said improvements, as provided by Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia, and directing the City Secretary to give notice of said hearing and examining and approving the plans and specifications and statement or report of the City Engineer, and declaring an Emergency.

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has heretofore by resolution passed and approved on the 15th day of February, 1924, ordered the improvement of Kaufman Street from the North line of Sumpter Street North to the city limits, in the City of Mexia; and,

WHEREAS, plans and specifications for the improvement of said street have been duly prepared and approved as required by the terms of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia; and,

WHEREAS, as required by said Statutes, Charter and Ordinances, after advertisement for bids for said work of improvement had been made, said work of improvement was let to Uvalde Paving Company to improve with Uvalde rock asphalt pavement on concrete base, and concrete curbs and gutters, as provided by said plans and specifications; and,

WHEREAS, a written contract has been entered into by and between the City of Mexia and Uvalde Paving Company on the 23rd day of April, 1924, for the construction of said improvements:

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA: That the plans and specifications and report or statement of the City Engineer filed with the City Commission, describing the abutting property and giving the names of property owners, and number of front feet and the cost of improvement chargeable against each abutting property and its owner, having been duly examined, is hereby approved. That the City Commission does hereby determine to assess the entire cost of curbs and three-fourths of the cost of all other improvements, against the owners of the property abutting thereon, and against their property, in accordance with the terms of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia. That the said assessment shall be made after the notice to such property owners and the hearing herein mentioned, and that the said portion of the said cost of improvements to be assessed against such property owners on said street, and their property, shall be in accordance with the front foot plan or rule in the proportion that the frontage of the property of each owner on said street or the portion of said street named to be improved bears to the frontage of the whole property to be improved on said street; provided, that after such hearing, if such plan of apportionment be found to be not just and equitable in particular instances the City Commission shall so apportion all said cost as to produce a substantial equality between all such property owners abutting on said street or the portion of said street to be improved, having in view the enhanced value of that property and the benefits derived from such improvement, and the burdens imposed upon them by such assessment, and that in no event shall any assessment be made against any owner or his property in excess of the enhanced value of such property by reasons of such improvement. That the proportionate cost of such improvement which is contemplated to be assessed against such owners and their properties shall become due and payable in five equal installments, one-fifth thirty days after the completion and acceptance of the improvement on said street, one fifth one year after said date, one fifth two years after said date, one fifth three years after said date, and one fifth four years after said date, together with interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum from the date of completion and acceptance of the improvement on said portion of said street named to be improved. That the total proportionate part of the cost of such improvement which is contemplated to be assessed against such owners and their respective properties and the names of the owners of property abutting upon said street aforesaid, properties to be improved, and the description of that property and the several amounts proposed to be assessed against them respectively for paving and for curb and gutter, and the grand total thereof, is as follows:

Kaufman Street from North Line of Sumpter Street North to City Limit Near Miller St.

Name	Description	Lin ft. paving @ $7.50	Amt.	Lin Ft. Curb @ .56025	Amt.	Total
D. H. Gibson,	75x150 of lot 1 Div. C	150	$ 1125.00	152.3	$ 86.69	$ 1,211.69
W. D. Pittman,	Lots 1, 2 & 3 Blk A, Div. C	130	975.00	155.9	88.75	1,063.75
W. D. Pittman,	Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Blk B Div C	250	1875.00	312.9	178.12	2,053.12
E. R. Holland,	Lot 28; Blk 2, Liberty Hts, Div LXIII	120	900.00	161.6	91.99	991.99
Dr. J. R. Harvey,	Lot 1; Blk 2, Liberty Hts, Div. LXIII	120	900.00	161.6	91.99	991.99
Dr. J. R. Harvey,	lot 20, blk 1, Liberty Hts, Div. LXIII	120	900.00	161.6	91.99	991.99
C. A. Lewis,	pt lot 1, blk 1, Liberty Hts, Div LXIII	73	547.50	75.3	42.86	590.36
W. L. Adamson,	S½ blk 6, Div. B	145	1087.50	145.0	82.54	1,170.04
Jesse Calame,	N½ Blk. 6, Div. B	145	1087.50	145.0	82.54	1,170.04
Mexia Public School,	Blk 7; Div. B	290	2175.00	329.3	187.45	2,362.45
J. H. Park,	Blk C & D, Div. B, LXII	530	3975.00	560.3	325.07	4,299.07
		2073	$16547.50	2369.8	$1,348.99	$16,896.49

Summary of Kaufman Street

Property owners part paving	$15,547.50
Property owners part curbing	1,348.99
Total property owners part	$16,896.49
City's part paving	5,182.50
Total amount of the Street	$22,078.99

That a hearing shall be given to said owners, their agents and attorneys, and any person or persons interested in said improvements, before the City Commission of the City of Mexia, as provided by the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia, which said hearing shall be had on the 9th day of May, 1924, at 8 o'clock p. m., in the City Hall in the City of Mexia, Texas, and which said hearing shall be continued from day to day and from time to time, as may be necessary to give all said property owners, their agents or attorneys, and any interested person or persons, a full and fair hearing, and said owners, their agents or attorneys, and any interested person or persons, shall have the right to appear and be heard in any manner concerning the said improvements or said assessment, or the benefits thereof to their said property, or any other matter or thing in connection therewith, or to contest said assessment, and at such hearing a full and fair opportunity shall be extended to said property owners, their agents or attorneys, and to all intertested persons, to be heard with respect to such improvements.

That after the conclusion of the hearing above mentioned such sum or sums as may be determined by the City Commission to be payable by said property owners shall be assessed against them respectively, and against their respective properties, by ordinance or ordinances, in the manner prescribed by the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia. That the City Secretary of the City of Mexia is hereby directed to give notice to said property owners, their agents or attorneys of said hearing, as prescribed by the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia, by publishing said notice three times in a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Mexia, the first of said publications to be made at least ten days before the date set for said hearing. Said City Secretary shall also mail a copy of said notice by registered letter to each of said property owners, if known, or their agents or attorneys, if known, said letters to be deposited in the post office in the City of Mexia at least ten days before the date set for hearing. However, said notice by registered letter shall be cumulative only, and notice by publication shall be full, due and proper notice of said hearing.

That whereas, the fact that said portion of said street is in such urgent need of repair creates an emergency and imperative public necessity for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and property which requires that the rule requiring three several readings be suspended, and that this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed and approved, this 23rd, day of April, 1924.

E. WATSON, Mayor.

Attest: R. D. Morgan,
City Secretary. (24-5t)

Spring House Cleaning

How to Make It a Pleasure Instead of a Nuisance.

IT SEEMS to be a favorite theory of men that women enjoy spring cleaning as much as men dread it. The husband in full flight before the determined housewife, armed with mop, broom and pail, is a standard comic figure.

As a matter of fact that same housewife, who bears the real burden of the undertaking, dreads it far more than any mere man, who suffers at most a day or two of inconvenience and the temporary loss of his pipe or his slippers. What the good housewife likes is the sense of cleanliness and order which follows upon the annual event. The cleaning itself is an ordeal which calls for all of her courage and puts a heavy tax upon her physical strength.

It need not be so bad, however, if system and forethought are invoked beforehand. It is well to begin with the kitchen. If the utensils in every day use are of enameled ware, the task of cleaning them all is a light one. Soap and plenty of hot water will do the job without any undue expenditure of "elbow grease."

Of course kitchen pantries and kitchen shelves must be thoroughly cleaned out and useless articles eliminated. There is no use in these days of keeping odds and ends to collect dirt on the theory that they will come in usefully some day. With a clean kitchen to fall back on, the housewife has established strategic headquarters and can go about the rest of the house more at her convenience. The great help in such work is having the proper implements. Two pails should always be used in cleaning, one for scrub water and one for rinsing. If these pails are enameled ware, they are a comfort. Not only is the enameled ware light, but the pails themselves are so easily cleaned after a day's work with them. In prewar days housewives were urged to use large sponges for cleaning instead of cloths. That was good advice and is so still, if such sponges can be procured at moderate prices. If not, soft cloths, plenty of them, can be used. The real secret of good cleaning is plenty of rinsing after the scrubbing. As to mops, each woman must judge for herself. Some women like to use a mop and others say they never can get good results except on their hands and knees armed with their faithful scrub brushes.

In washing windows a small enameled ware hand basin to hold hot soap suds will be found very useful. To get the gloss as bright as possible, the soapsuds should be used hot. It is therefore better to mix them in a small receptacle like a hand basin or a good-sized enameled ware bowl, than to put them into an ordinary sized pail. Or a strong solution of one of the numerous soap powders may be made in an enameled ware pitcher and the preparation may be added to very hot water from time to time as required. These enameled ware pitchers are the only kind that can be guaranteed to withstand the rough and tumble of house-cleaning and come out with noses and handles intact.

Few people in these days have carpets to take up, and a rug covered floor gets so much incidental cleaning from day to day that there is not much accumulation of dust for the semi-annual event. However a thorough scrubbing never hurt anything and a room which has had people in it all through the shut-up winter months will be all the better for a good freshening. If there have been many colds in the family or children have been afflicted with some of the contagious maladies peculiar to their age, it may be well to use mild disinfectants in the cleaning water. There again we appreciate the enameled ware pails as they can not rust and are not affected by the chemicals used in such disinfectants.

Washing out curtains, both sash and long, always seems a formidable undertaking and so it is, if all such curtains are done at once. If, however, the sash curtains, for example, of each room are washed out when that room is cleaned, it makes the process easier. Fill a large sized enameled ware dishpan with very hot water; dissolve any favorite soap preparation in it, add the curtains and soak over night. Next day they will wash out without trouble and can be pressed while still damp. Long curtains can be washed in the same way, a pair at a time, and the wise housewife will have a frame on which to stretch them.

Make a spring cleaning also a spring clearing. It is a fine time to realize how many things you have that you never use and to release yourself from their tyranny.

Patterson's Column

A "knocker," talking to me said "I think that old Mexia is dead—and I believe that never more will things be as in days of yore. I cannot stand a quiet town, and I can see we're going down." So then, he said, "I think that I shall bid Mexia a fond goodbye." HE'S GONE A MONTH AND I WILL BET THAT NOT A SOUL HAS MISSED HIM YET.

A "booster" stopped to chat awhile, his grip was firm—he wore a smile. He said, "your store looks good to me, you're in the town where you should be, and I am glad to hear you say that you are in Mexia to stay. This is a coming town you chose—SAY DON'T IT BEAT H——L HOW SHE GROWS."

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—Patterson.

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University Girls Wearing the Pants

AUSTIN, Texas, April 28.—University men either wore second best suits today or stood in barrels, while the University of Texas Junior co-eds escorted senior co-eds to the annual "Junior Prom."

The junior girls, in the role of fair Romeos, left the hulk of the male students stranded without presentable wearing apparel. They borrowed the best suits, shirts, ties and other men's furnishings that was "vampable" in order to put a real kick in the party for the senior women.

The party was so "realistic" that chaperones were kept busy preserving propriety, it was rumored.

The farmer received a hard jolt from the law of economics, but he is coming back.

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Irate Poultrymen Ambush Thieves

ALDING, Texas, April 27.—Secreting himself in his chicken house one morning last week, armed with his old faithful "double-barrel," J. D. Spence lay in wait for persons who had in previous nights raided his roost.

As a result of the "ambush," one of a trio of chicken thieves is plucking buckshot instead of feathers.

For more than a month farmers in this vicinity have been sleeping on their firearms because of the raids chicken thieves have been making on their roosts.

In its last session congress passed a tariff and called it "flexible." Now it's devoting its whole attention to making other people tell the truth.

Program Pleases Large Crowd at The Legion Hall

The American Legion and Ladies Auxiliary were entertained last Tuesday night with one of the best programs that has yet rendered in the presence of these combined memberships. Comrade Harry Porter had the program in charge and presided over the occasion. He wrote letters to all the members telling them of the program and on the day of the meeting saw many of the members in person and urged them to be present.

One of the first features of the program made up of features was a reading by Mrs. W. B. Landrum, which she presented in her own inimitable and pleasing manner, graciously responding to the encore accorded her.

Scott Reed, County Attorney, of Limestone County, of Groesbeck delivered the San Jacinto address. He spoke in high praise of the American Legion for the service it was rendering the county in calling to the public mind the holidays that commemorate notable events in the history of America and of American States. He reviewed the thrilling history of the battle of San Jacinto and urged that the Legion continue its patriotic services, exemplifying the unselfish sacrifices of the fathers.

Judge Fountain Kirby, also a world war veteran, was introduced next. He spoke with pleasure of being present on the occasion and in a most earnest and forceful way praised the founders of this common wealth and nation for their heroism on so many fields of service and gallantry, saying that the spirit of San Jacinto still lives, that it had found expression during the world war on many battle fields of the old world and that it should never be permitted to die.

The chair introduced Mrs. J. Lowery, paying a high tribute to her wonderful voice. Her contribution in song measured up to the introduction and prolonged applause followed each number presented. Mrs. Lowery won the appreciation of the Legion and Auxiliary, it being freely stated that she possesses one of the very rarest and loveliest of voices to be heard anywhere. She was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. J. M. Stucki, whose services likewise were appreciated by her auditors.

The Auxiliary served a splendid banquet, announcing afterwards that this would be the last until next fall, following the usual custom in this respect, on account of many of the members planning Spring and Summer vacations.

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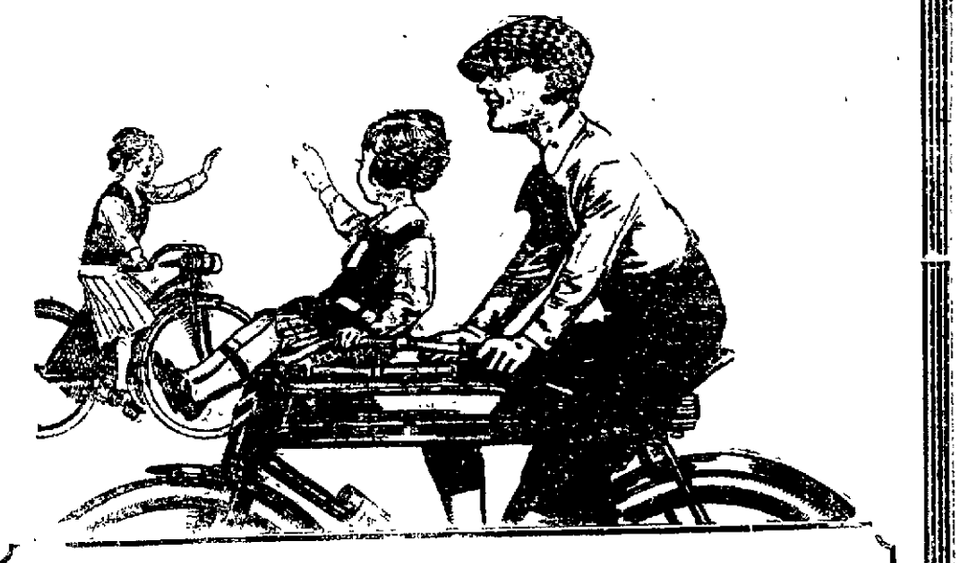

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Mrs. King Thanks Mexia C. of C. For Pleasures Provided During The Federation Meeting Held in City

The following letters were received from Mrs. J. E. King of San Antonio, who was among the prominent people visiting here during the Third District Federation.

"Hon. John H. Sweatt,
Mexia Chamber of Commerce,
Mexia, Texas.
Dear Mr. Sweatt:

In thanking the different citizens of Mexia who made my stay so pleasant I feel I would be remiss if I did not tell you what a splendid barbecue you gave us at the Reunion Grounds. I am quite sure I never attended anything at any of the meetings which gave me more genuine pleasure. The food was delicious, the fellowship wonderful, and I want to thank you for the honor of being among those present.

You people of Mexia handled everything in such a big way. Your entertainment of the District Convention members would have been a credit to any large City in the state.

Again let me thank you for the genuine hospitality and for the part of the Chamber of Commerce had in making our stay most delightful.

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. J. E. King,
Chairman Board of Supervisors."

"Mr. Ben F. Stollenwerck,
Secy. Chamber of Commerce,
Mexia, Texas,
My Dear Mr. Stollenwerck:

Your letter of April 21st reached me yesterday and I am so glad you asked me to give my impression of Mexia and its people. It has been my privilege and pleasure to attend many State and District meetings of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. I can state without fear or favor that I have never been in any town where hospitality ran rampant and the cooperation of its citizens was so marked as to be placed in evidence no matter which way you turned. The people, generally, over the state who have not been to Mexia, have like myself, I feel sure, drawn their conclusions of a wild oil town. This of course, was brought about by the wide publicity given it when it was necessary to put the place under martial law. No town is responsible for the swooping down upon it of an element that brings reproach with it, but the way you have lived that down and come out victor is nothing short of a miracle.

"The way you people handled the District meeting would have been a credit to any city in Texas. In fact, I just came out of the 5th District Meeting in my own home town and Mexia furnished me information along the line of hospitality that I will never forget and only wish I had known better how before our meeting was held here. I see many ways we could have improved.

"Any town with a Chamber of Commerce with the vision that you men have and the ability and vim to apply your vision can't help but succeed. I predict a marvelous growth for Mexia in the next ten years. It would be impossible to keep in check a town inhabitated by such splendid far-seeing people. Want you to know I am glad I went to Mexia, and hope the times come when I can go again. I was especially impressed with your school buildings. Your high school building would be a credit to any large city of the country. Your other public buildings, and in fact every part of the city shows you are doing the things worth while. Really, I wish I could express to you what my impression of Mexia is—but the English fails me.

"I do want to say in conclusion that it would be impossible for me to offer any criticism. If there is anything special you would like for me to say, write it and sign my name, you have completely sold Mexia to me. Glad to have you use any or all of this as you see fit.

"Sincerely,
"Mrs. J. E. King."

CHILDREN PRESENT NEW BIBLE TO FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

When Dr. Hudson came to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church he found that the pulpit Bible was badly worn from long use, and that even some of the leaves were missing, so he set about to have a new Bible supplied.The children of the primary department got busy and saved up their pennies and nickels and on Sunday morning they appeared with a new up to date edition of the "Book of the Law," and just before the morning service was started Master Henry Moore, on the part of the children of the Sunday school, presented the Book to Dr. Hudson, who accepted it in a few well chosen words of appreciation.

An appropriate program of song was rendered by the children which was enjoyed by the large congregation.

There were 110 present at the Sunday school, the largest number in many years.

YOUR WINDSHIELD OR EYES.

Caught in a rain with no windshield cleaner, you slow down and drive cautiously. Unless you can see clearly, 20 miles an hour is dangerous—almost foolhardy.

Yet hundreds of thousands of men actually invite needless risks of accidents, simply because they do not realize that faulty eyes make their driving as risky all the time as a rain-spattered windshield does once in a while.

You believe you are not in this group. With entire sincerity you say, "I can see. My eyes are not faulty. I drive all right. I've escaped accidents."

But can you see well? Is your eyesight normal? Because you have not had a serious accident means nothing with regard to your sight. In escaping accidents you may have been pressing your luck.

You've never looked through the sharp, perfect eyes of another person to compare your vision with his. You can't measure your height without a tape measure—you can't know your weight without a scale. And by the same token you can't know if your eyesight is up to par without a scientific eye-examination.

There is but one way to know, and only one—an eye-examination. It may or may not show that you need glasses. But in any event it will bring you the confidence of knowing you are safeguarded against the dangers of imperfect vision.

This confidence is worth possessing. Think what it would mean to you if you knew that every other driver in Mexia had flawless vision. You owe the same duty to him that he owes to you—the duty that every motorist owes to the public safety. Have your eyes examined.

Accidents happen on Mexia's streets almost daily. You may be the next one.

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DALLAS.—A 14-story hotel, costing $1,000,000 will be constructed on Main and Harwood street here, according to plans announced Monday by Carl Hilton, manager of the Waldorf hotel. Hilton and a group of Iowa capitalists will finance the new hotel.

The army aviators now on world tour have no easy task. In other words they are not out on a sky lark.

Municipalities League Extends Invite to City

The office of the Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of an invitation from the League of Texas Municipalities issuing an invitation to the civic bodies of Mexia to attend a meeting of the League of Texas Municipalities which will be held at Ennis on May 7 and 8.

The office of the Chamber of Commerce has not yet been advised whether anyone in Mexia will avail themselves of this invitation or not.

HOUSTON.—J. B. Warren, is being sought by police in connection with the burning to death of H. W. Flagler and Mrs. Ethel Raab. Warren is charged with murder and arson, following the fatal fire at Mrs. Raab's residence.

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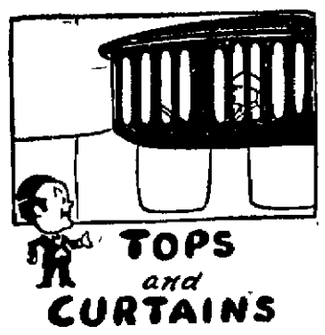

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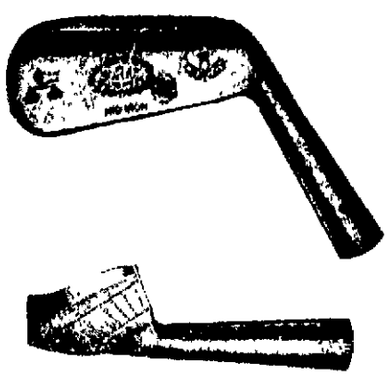

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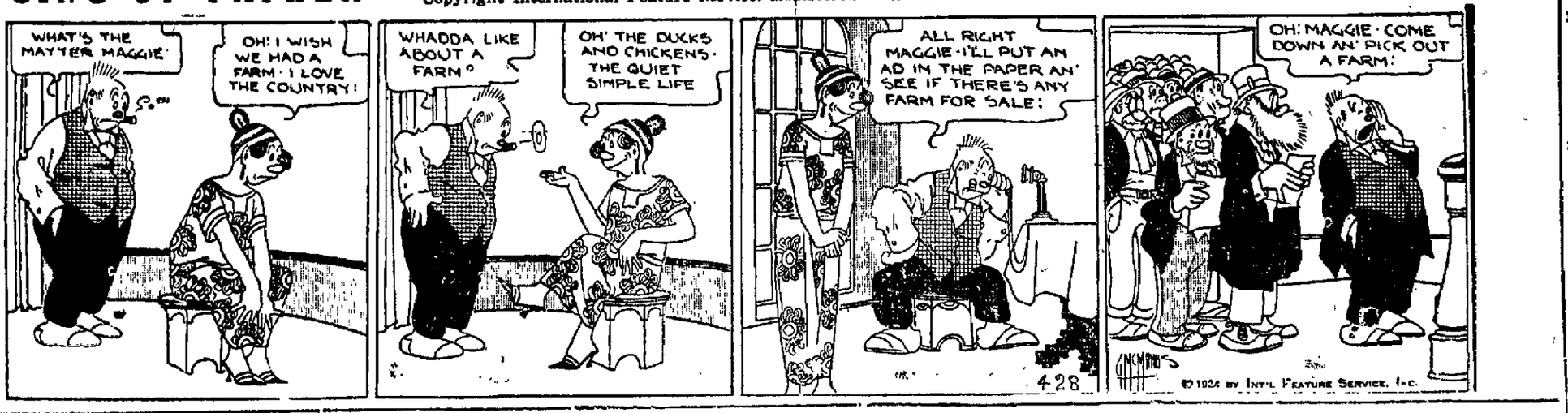
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Former Mexia Lady Famous Musician

From the Portland Oregonian we clip the following account of a musical recital in that city in which a former Mexia lady figured prominently. Mrs. Carroll was born at Tehuacana and lived there and in Mexia for many years, and is well known to all old timers here, who will take pride in her musical career:

Rehearsal Is Praised.

Many expressions of pleasure were heard after the joint rehearsal at the MacDowell club by Mrs. Eulah Mitchell Carroll, pianist, and Mrs. Blanche Williams Segersten, soprano. One Portland musician declared that she had enjoyed this particular recital more than almost any other given by the MacDowell club. In addition to the work done by this favorite pianist of Portland, Mrs. Carroll was most gracious in responding to encores and recalls, which were all the more enthusiastic because of the element of welcome to her after her long absence in the east, back into the musical circles of the city.

Mrs. Segersten's singing was warmly received and the artistic contents of her programme were interestingly delivered. Mrs. Segersten, too, was generous with encores, and she was obliged to respond to several recalls. She made a very charming picture as she stood in the curve of the piano, one which the audience present was not slow to appreciate and admire. Several spoke of it after the concert. Altogether Mrs. Carroll and Mrs. Segersten gave a recital which will probably be long remembered in the annals of the MacDowell club.

Vegetables And Dried Fruit Are Now Very Popular

Spring is the time of the year when those elements of the diet which are supplied by fruits and vegetables are most needed, and often hardest to obtain. It is too early for local produce in the greater part of the country, and the products of the southern trucking sections are often very expensive. The minerals, vitamines and cellulose or roughage, in which our civilized diet is generally deficient anyway, and found chiefly in the fruits and vegetables which are apt to be scarce on our tables in late winter and early spring. The lassitude which is associated with the first warm days is probably due as much to diet as to weather.

The wise housewife, while supplying her table with as much fresh fruit as possible, will not neglect to supplement this with a liberal use of dried fruits, which are far less expensive and very wholesome. It is a good rule to remember that about half one's diet by bulk should consist of fruits and vegetables. The food served on most American tables will be found to include only about half as much fruit as it should. If dried fruits are used whenever possible, in desserts, breads and salads, they will do much toward balancing the family ration.

Quite a number of gardens are being cultivated in Mexia, from which young onions, radishes, lettuce and mustard are now being gathered, while the surrounding farmers who planted for home use and for supplying the Mexia market are bringing in baskets and buckets filled with wholesome edibles and returning with money in their pockets.

The Mexia market is a real inducement to farmers to bring their produce to this city to sell and to do their trading here.

More and more it becomes apparent that poultry should be added as one of the largest industries of the section. The Mexia territory does not maintain itself in poultry and poultry products.

NOTICE

This section of the county is free from quarantine and it is not compulsory that you dip your cattle. But in order to prevent any return of ticks and to clean your cattle of lice you should dip them. I have made arrangements thru the Commissioners Court to dip your cattle without cost to you, during March April and May. I will dip on the following dates, weather permitting: Reunion Ground vat, April 7th; Rosson, April 8th; Springfield, April 9th; Trotter, April 10th; L. C. Estes vat, April 11th. Other dates will be anonunced late. Notify your neighbors and make arrangements to dip on above dates. For further information, see O. LEWIS, Mexia, Texas. tf

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon John H. Brown and M. J. Kallet by manking publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the First Monday in May, A. D., 1924, the same being the 5th day of May, A. D., 1921 then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 11th day of April, A. D., 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court as No. 4450-B, wherein Bradford Supply Company, a corporation is plaintiff, and John H. Brown and M. J. Kallett are defendants, and said petition alleging:

That plaintiff at the instance and request of defendants on or about July 18, 1922 and covering a period through December, 1922, sold and delivered to them various goods, machinery and oil well supplies, amounting to the sum of $1818.09, in consideration of which defendants promised to pay plaintiff upon demand said amount, all of which is fully shown by an itemized statement of the dates goods and amounts charged therefor attached to plaintiff's petition; that said material was used by defendants in the development and improvement of an oil and gas lease; that on March 26, 1923, plaintiff fixed a materialman's lien as required by law covering all the lease, leasehold estate, oil and gas rights in and under the following land: Being a part of the land owned by W. D. Freeman, H. W. Freeman and H. C. Freeman and described in a deed record in Vol. 105, page 434, deed records of Limestone County, Texas. Beginning in the southeast line of said tract, north 52½ east, 437.7 vrs. from the southwest corner of the tract which is the southwest corner of a twenty acre tract heretofore leased to Joseph Danciger; Thence North 35½ west with Danciger's northeast line, 356.7 vrs.; Thence north 52½ east 158.2 vrs. to the southwest line of a 40 acre tract heretofore leased to R. L. Sprinkle; Thence south 35½ east with Sprinkle's Southwest line, 356.7 vrs. to the southeast line of Freeman's tract which is R. L. Sprinkle's southwest corner; Thence south 52½ west 158.2 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres. That said lien was filed on said lease hold estate for oil and gas rights, said lease hold estate being known as the Wofford & Jackson lease, which was operated by Ben Wofford and M. M Jackson under the firm name of Wofford & Jackson, as agents of these Defendants and the remaining joint owners. That said account is past due and unpaid and defendants have failed and refused to pay same or any part thereof except the sum of $500.00 to plaintiff's damage in the sum of $1319.09.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendants be cited to appear and answer herein, and that it have judgement foreclosing its Materialman's lien to satisfy said indebtedness of $1318.09, together with costs of suit and such other relief as it may be justly entitled.

Herein fail not, and have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this the 11th day of April, A. D., 1924.

(Seal)

JOHNSON WAKEFIELD,
Clerk, District Court,
Limestone, County.
By RUBY LAWLEY, Deputy.

April 11-18-25 May 2.

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CANDIDATES Announcements 1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)
For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS
For District Clerk—
ELLIS DICKERSON.
M. A. AINSWORTH.
For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
(Re-Election Sought)
For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER.
For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY. (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election.)
For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEEN
A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS, (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
H. C. FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—
S. H. FLAKE
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4
VIRGIL D. WOOD
For Constable, Precinct No. 4—
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For Public Weigher—
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19	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:55 a. m.

South bound—

346	To cut-off	7:00 a. m.
16	Houston San Antonio	11:45 a. m.
32	From Dallas	10:08 a. m.
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18	Houston San Antonio	1:37 a. m.
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TEXAS ASSOCIATION

Yesterday's Results.

Corsicana 6, Temple 4.
Mexia 11, Austin 7.
Marlin 3, Waco 0.

Standing of Clubs.

Club—	P	W	L	Pct
Corsicana	4	4	0	1.000
Waco	4	3	1	.750
Temple	4	2	2	.500
Mexia	5	2	3	.400
Marlin	4	1	3	.250
Autsin	5	1	4	.200

Where They Play Today.

Mexia at Temple.
Marlin at Corsicana.
Waco at Austin.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Dallas 14, Witchita Falls 0.
Fort Worth 5, Shreveport 3.
San Antonio 2, Beaumont 0.
Houston 9, Galveston 3.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
San Antonio	11	10	1	.909
Fort Worth	11	8	3	.727
Witchita Falls	10	6	4	.600
Dallas	11	6	5	.556
Houtson	11	6	5	.556
Beaumont	11	4	7	.367
Galveston	11	2	9	.182
Shreveport	10	1	9	.100

Where They Play Today.

Witchita Falls at Dallas.
Houston at Galveston.
Beaumont at San Antonio.
Fort Worth at Shreveport.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Detroit 4, Chicago 3.
Washington 9, Boston 6.
Cleveland 10, St. Louis 9.
New York 11, Philadelphia 2.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
Detroit	11	8	3	.727
New York	12	8	4	.667
Philadelphia	10	6	4	.600
Chicago	11	6	5	.545
Cleveland	10	5	5	.500
Washington	12	5	7	.417
Boston	10	3	7	.300
St. Louis	12	3	9	.250

Where They Play Today.

Cleveland at St. Louis.
Chicago at Detroit.
Boston at Washington.
New York at Philadelphia.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

New York 9, Brooklyn 5.
St. Louis 6, Cincinnati 4.
Chicago 4, Pittsburgh 2.
Three scheduled.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	10	8	2	.800
Chicago	12	8	4	.667
Cincinnati	11	7	4	.636
Boston	7	3	1	.429
Brooklyn	10	4	6	.400
Pittsburgh	11	4	7	.356
St. Louis	12	4	8	.333
Philadelphia	7	2	5	.286

Where They Play Today.

St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.
Philadelphia at New York.
Brooklyn at Boston.

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Paris 9, Sulphur Springs 3.
Greenville 1, Marshall 0.
Longview 3, Tyler 2.
Mount Pleasant 6-8, Texarkana 2.

Standing of Clubs.

Club—	P	W	L	Pct
Mount Pleasant	5	4	1	.800
Paris	4	3	1	.750
Sulphur Springs	5	3	2	.600
Marshall	5	3	2	.600
Tyler	5	2	3	.400
Longview	5	2	3	.400
Greenville	5	2	3	.400
Texarkana	4	0	4	.000

Where They Play Today.

Greenville at Longview.
Texarkana at Paris.
Marshall at Sulphur Springs.
Tyler at Mount Pleasant.

WORTHAM LADY NAMED ON STATE COMMITTEE.

In the appointments to the Committee on Public School credits for outside study in music, Prof Frank L. Reed, chairman of the department of Music of the University of Texas and President of the Texas Music Association has named Mrs. John Monroe of Wortham. Others on this committee are H. E. Meyer, Daniel Baker College, Brownwood, chairman; Mrs. C. B. Brooks, Paris; Mrs. E. F. Hearne, Corsicana Y. M. C. A. and Miss Alice Dyer of Abilene.

FULL ATTENDANCE OF C. OF C. DIRECTORS URGED BY SECRETARY

Secretary Stollenwerck of the Chamber of Commerce states that he is very anxious for a full attendance of the Board of Directors of that organization Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. This will be his last meeting and he is preparing a full report of the activities of his office as well as the state of the financial affairs, and the matter of his success will also be considered.

J. E. Farrow, Secretary of the Groesbeck Chamber of Commerce, was a visitor here Saturday night.

Mexia Romps On Austin Saturday

BUTLER'S CATCH FEATURE OF ONELY GAME PLAYED IN ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN, Texas, April 27.—Mexia trounced the Rangers here Saturday 16 to 6. Butler made a sensational catch of Nairn's liner in the ninth with the bsese full to end the game.

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Chaney, 2 b	4	1	1	3	4	0
Matthews, s s	4	2	1	2	1	0
Griggs, c f	4	0	0	3	0	0
Arheier, 1 b	4	0	0	6	1	0
Clements, 3 b	4	1	2	2	0	1
Bedford, l f	4	0	3	3	0	0
Courteny, r f	3	1	2	1	0	0
Henderson, c	4	0	0	5	1	1
Pipkin, p	4	1	1	2	1	0
Nairn	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	36	6	10	27	8	2
Mexia—						
Ceppert, s s	6	3	3	2	4	2
Butler, l f	4	4	3	5	0	0
McDowell, r f	6	3	4	0	0	0
Bryan, c f	6	2	3	1	0	0
Peake, 1 b	4	1	0	10	0	0
Leedy, 2 b	5	1	2	1	4	1
Jones, 3 b	5	0	2	1	1	0
Fowlkes, c	5	1	1	6	0	0
Peel, p	5	1	2	1	4	0
Total	46	16	20	27	17	3

Nairn batted for Pipkin in eighth.

Mexia .....200 060 026—16
Austin .....121 200 000 —6

Two-base hits—Butler 3, McDowell, Chaney, Courtney 2, Bryan 2, Peel, Jones, Bedford. Stolne base—Matthews. Struck out—By Pipkin 5, Peel 5. Bases on balls—Off Pipkin 3, Peel 3

AUSTIN, Texas, April 28.—The Mexia Gushers made it two out of three over the Rangers here Sunday before a packed grand stand, 10 to 7 The Mexia nine batted out its victory off Brooks in the first two innings. Bryan made a great catch in the seventh inning on Clement's liner.

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Chaney, 2 b	5	2	2	2	2	0
Matthews, s s	5	1	1	2	5	0
Griggs, c f	2	1	1	0	0	0
Anheir, 1 b	2	0	0	11	0	0
Clements, 3 b	3	1	0	3	1	1
Bedford, l f	3	1	1	1	0	0
Courtney, r f	4	1	2	4	0	0
Henderson, c	4	0	1	4	1	1
Brooks, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Whitworth, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Total	32	7	8	27	12	2
Mexia—						
Geppert, s s	5	1	1	1	7	2
butler, l f	5	2	2	0	0	0
McDowell, r f	5	2	2	1	0	0
Bryan, c f	5	2	1	2	2	0
Peake, 1 b	4	1	2	14	0	0
Leedy, 2 b	2	1	0	2	3	1
Fowlkes, 3 b	3	1	0	1	1	0
Schieffer, c	2	1	1	6	0	1
Crow, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sanders, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Total	34	11	9	27	16	5

Mexia .....450 020 000—11
Austin .....500 000 200— 7

Home run—Courtney. Three-base hit—Peake. Two-base hits—Matthews, McDowell. Schieffer, Chaney, Anheir. Stolen bases—Clements Leedy. Struck out—By Brooks 1, Sanders 1. Whitworth 1. Bases on balls—Off Brooks 1, Sanders 1, Whitworth 1. Pitchers' records—Off Crow, 3 hits, 5 runs, in 2-3 inning; Sanders, 5 hits, 2 runs, in 8 1-3 innings; Brooks, 6 hits 7 runs, in 1 1-3 innings; Whitworth, 3 hits, 4 runs, in 7 2-3 innings.

NEW YORK.—Helen Hayes, 20, started for Texas on a "borrowed" horse. Police arrested her at Netcong, N. J., on charges of horse theft.

MARLIN BLANKS WACO.

WACO, Texas, April 27.—Home runs by Alexander and Craig won a pitchers' battle for Marlin over Waco Sunday, 3 to 0.

Waco—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kelly, l f	4	0	2	0	0	0
Lewis, s s	3	0	0	1	6	0
Hall, 2 b	4	0	1	0	1	1
Province, c f	4	0	1	6	0	0
McIver, r f	3	0	1	1	0	0
Shires, 1 b	4	0	0	11	2	0
McBrides, 3 b	4	0	0	0	0	1
Humphreys, c	3	0	0	7	2	0
Hill, p	2	0	1	1	2	0
Total	31	0	6	27	13	2
Marlin—						
Rawlins, s s	3	1	0	5	5	0
Craig, c f	4	1	2	3	0	0
Greer, r f	4	0	1	3	0	1
Pipkin, 1 b	4	0	0	8	2	0
Alexander, 2 b	4	1	1	2	2	0
Bressler, l f	4	0	0	0	0	0
White, 3 b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Covington, c	3	0	0	4	2	0
Thomas, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Total	32	3	5	27	13	1

Waco .....000 000 000—0

Home runs—Alexander, Craig. Two-base hit—Province. Stolen base—Hall. Struck out—By Hill 7, Thomas 4. Bases on balls—Off Hill 1, Thomas 3.

OILERS CONTINUE TO WIN.

CORSICANA, Texas, April 27—The Corsicana Oilers overcame Temple's lead and won the second game Sunday from the Surgeons, 6 to 4, before a capacity crowd. Corsicana hit opportunely in fifth and sixth innings to win.

Corsicara—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge, c f	4	2	2	3	0	0
Grubb, 3 b	2	0	1	1	4	0
Thornton, 1 b	4	0	2	11	0	1
Barrett, r f	4	0	0	3	0	0
Hamilton, l f	4	0	1	2	0	0
Sain, s s	4	0	2	1	3	0
Malmquist, 2 b	1	1	1	3	2	0
Vann, c	3	1	1	4	2	0
Muncy, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Lind, p	2	1	0	0	0	0
Hollis, p	1	1	0	0	2	0
Total	29	6	10	28	14	1
Temple—						
Lance, r f	5	0	2	0	0	1
Moore, s s	3	1	1	3	1	0
Brown, c f	5	0	2	3	0	0
Lind, 1 b	4	0	1	6	2	0
Lacy, c	2	1	2	7	3	0
Nicholas, l f	4	1	1	2	0	0
Nichols, 2 b	4	1	1	2	0	0
Farley, 3 b	4	0	1	1	1	0
Johnson, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Clair, p	2	0	1	0	2	0
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Home run—Lacy. Two-base hits—Brown, Swede Lind, Vann, Etheridge. Stolne bases—Lance, Moore. Struck out—By Johnson 4, Clair 2, Lind 3, Hollis 1. Bases on balls—Muncy 1, Lind 1, Hollis 1, Johnson 2, Clair 5. Pitchers' records—Off Muncy 3 hits, 3 runs in 1 inning, Johnson 7 hits, 3 runs in 4 innings; Lind 6 hits, 1 run in 5 innings; Hollis 3 hits, no runs in 3 innings; Clair 3 hits, 3 runs, 4 innings.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Crow have moved into their new Ross Avenue home, which is one of the most attrtctive in the city.

When a man has cornered about all the money he thinks he needs he feels qualified to tell others about the advantages of being poor.

British women have trouble finding husbands. Men are hard to find the world over.

If a woman's intuition in regard to another woman is usually accurate it may be because she knows that she would think if she were in the other woman's place.

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By DAISEY MAYS
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April 28, 1924

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WIP, 6, Uncle Wip's stories.
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WWJ, 6, Musical program.
WGY, 6:15, "Farm Bureau Organization."
WGY, 6:25, "Gardening in Prose and Verse."
WOO, 6:30, Adelphia Hotel Concert orchestra.
WDAR, 6:30, Dream Daddy's bedtime stories.
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WGY, 6:45, WGY orchestra.

7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

WHB, 7 to 8, Educational program; Sweeny Radio orchestra.
WCX, 7:30, Musical program.
WDAR, 7, Opera talk.
WBAP, 7:30 to 8:30, Concert.
WAAW, 7:30 to 9, Musical program
KPO, 7:30 to 8:30, Children's hour.

8:00 to 9:00 p. m.

WSB, 8 to 9, Program.
WOS, 8, Musical program.
WLW, 8, Concert.
WDAF, 8 to 9:15, Popular program.
WOO, 8:10, Fox Theatre orchestra.
WDAR, 8:26, Stanley Symphony orchestra.
WFAA, 8:30 to 9:30, Recital.
WLW, 8:30, Talk and violin duets.

9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

WOAW, 9, Musical program.
WDAR, 9:10 Lanin's Dance orchestra.
WLW, 9, Theatre review; Cincinnati orchestra.
KPO, 9 to 9:30, Seiger's orchestra.
KGW, 9, Talk.
WOO, 9:03, Organ recital.
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45, College orchestra of Denton, Texas.
WOO, 9:30, Havana Casino Dance orchestra.

10:00 to 11:00 p. m

KPO, 10 to 10:45, Organ recital.
KGW, 10, Jane Burns Albert, soprano.
KFI, 10 to 11, Evening Herald concert.
WSB, 10:45, Oldtime music.
KPO, 10:45 to 11, Talk, editor of the Sunset Magazine.

11:00 to 12:00 Midnight

KFI, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.
KPO, 11 to 12, Program.
KGW, 11:30, Program, Musical Department, Chemawa Indian school.
WDAF, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

SHRINE CIRCUS AND MERCHANTS AND AUTOMOBILE EXBIBIT IS OFF WITH A BANG AS PLANS MATURE

Reports from Shrine officials early this morning indicate the forth coming Shrine Circus and Merachants and Automobile Exhnbit is off with a bang. Machinery started working and the organization is working as a unit to put a weel's program in Mexia that will be very much akin to a community fair.

Every live organization in town will be invited to participate in this week of fun, amusement and trades week, as the bigger it is, the better it is.

It is contemplated to offer inducements that will bring our neighbors to Mexia and it will be a splendid opportunity to show them what we have to offer in this city that vision is building.

Efforts will be put forth to encourage a made in Mexia exhibit, along with other exhibits that the merchants may deem wise to put on.

Every line of business will be envouraged to participate in this circus and fair week. A splendid opportunity will be afforded the merchants to display their goods and distribute advertising in any form they see fit.

The Shriners report that the city will soon be alive with advertising for this coming event and not only this city, but the neighboring towns will be covered and lithographs are now on the road for that purpose. Stickers will be seen on automobiles that traverse this section of the country, and there is no limit to the publicity campaign that will be waged.

This is not a traveling street carnival coming to town, but a circus and the only out of town people, being the show put on by local Shriners, with pair circus performers who will entertain the crowd with some real worth while and enjoyable circus acts that can be seen only in high class and some of the largest circus.

A popularity campaign will be announced soon in the paper.

An official of the local Shriners organization stated this morning that when the money is all counted and the show is all over, the city of Mexia in general will reap far more financial benefit and advertising from the returns than the producing company, from whom the Shriners are virtually renting the tent and equipment and employing actual circus ring performers.

In connection with the present program of the Shriners, they are now getting things together for their pre-ceremonial banquet to be held Friday night, May 2nd at the Majestic Hotel, at which they will have a novel evenings, entertainment for the nobility and their ladies, discuss final plans for the circus and also the trip to Waco, May 8th, to attend Karem's ceremonial.

All Shriners are requested to acquaint themselves with the details of the banquet and the general public is invited to watch the advertising program for the coming event.

PAULINE FREDERICK
At the National Today.

DALLAS, Texas, April 28.—H. C. Yates was charged with murder here today in connection with the shooting to death of his brother-in-law, Lee H. Johnson. Johnson was shot down at Yates' home in the presence of the latter's wife and 16-year-old son, Douglas. Yates surrendered to police immediately after the shooting.

NEW YORK, April 28.—"A lion is a gentleman among beasts," Carl A. Kelly, hunter, says. A gorilla is "pathetically affectionate" and an elephant "a charming creature."

FORT EDWARD, N. Y., April 28. Floyd Pelletier tattooed his initial upon Mrs. Hazel Harris' face and two arrows on her arm, branding the woman as his "for the rest of her life." Police are seeking Pelletier.

On Display

In Our Show Window

TONIGHT

You Will See an Exhibit of Some of

The Dresses Made By Our High School Girls

These are the dresses that won for MEXIA, SECOND PLACE in Class B School in the State Contest at Galveston last week.

With a little training, and with Piece Goods such as we carry, you too can make pretty dresses. See the display and our new Piece Goods,

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On this memorable occasion it is only fitting that gifts be given which will endure a life-time. Here you will find a collection of graduation gifts that are unique in variety, in smartness, in beauty and worth, which the graduate will cherish and prize as the years pass, commemorating each year that achievement and memorable occasion—GRADUATION.

Brooch and Bar Pins up from ..$4.50
Eversharp Pencils from ..$1.00
Fountain Pens up from ..$2.50
Pen and Pencil Sets up from ..$8.50
Diamond Rings up from ..$25.00
Ivory Pendants ..$5.00 to $12.50
Pearl and Bead Necklaces— —$5.00 to $50.00
Hand-tooled Leather Bags $10 to $25
Wrist Watches, up from ..$35.00
New Mesh Bags up from ..$7.50
Vanity Cases ..$8.50 to $25
Lip Sticks ..$2.00 to $35.00
Powder Boxec ..$3.50 to $20.00
Diamond Bar Pins ..$15.00 to $50.00

Diamond Rings up from $25

—for young men

Elgin Watches, up from ..$15.00
Gold Watch Chains, up from ..$ 7.50
Gold Signet Rings, up from ..$ 5.00
Gold Belt Buckles, up from ..$15.00
Silver Belt Buckles, up from ..$ 3.50
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BIG TAX BATTLE BEGINS TO RAGE IN CONGRESS

114 Entombed In Mine After Explosion

Coolidge Favors Ford In Muscle Shoals Deal

Leaders Ready For Opposing Tax Bills In Senate

WASHINGGTON, April 28.—The big tax rates battle is on.

After weeks of maneuvering Senate leaders today unleashed their forces to fight out the income and tuxtax rates which will be levied on the nation next year.

Chairman Reed Smoot of the Finance Committee forced the rate fight when he asked that the Mellon proposal for a 25 per cent surtax be brought up for discussion.

The Mellon proposal was put into the bill by the Senate Finance committee after Democrats decided to postpone their opposition until the matter reached the floor. They did not wish to delay final disposition of the tax bill by putting up a determined fight in committee because they were confident there were no chances of victory before the Senate. Democratic plan is for a 40 per cent reduction.

Progressives want 50 per cent as in the present law. The House adopted a 37½ per cent compromise. Secretary Mellon asks for 25 per cent.

Indications as the fight got under way were that the Democratic rates would triumph. Smoot is determined to force a vote on every possible compromise. When the 25 per cent surtax proposal is defeated—as it is certain to be—Smoot will ask a vote on 36 per cent, then 32½ per cent, then perhaps even 35 per cent.

Belgium Tries Her Hand Now As Mediator

By WEBB MILLER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, April 28.—Belgium attempted today to mediate between France and Great Britain in their differences that have arisen over the Dawes expert's report.

Conferences between Premier Theunis and Minister Hymans of Belgium and Premier Poincare started at the Quai D'Orsay at 10 a. m. They were the first official pourparlers on the experts' findings.

While the Belgians were attempting to bring the French and British viewpoints together, Poincare was atempting to renew Franco-Belgian co-operaation and realign this united front.

BIG SHOE MANUFACTURER DIES IN ST. LOUIS HOME

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 28.—John C. Roberts, organizer of the greatest shoe manufacturing company in the world, close friend of Woodrow Wilson and owner of the St. Louis Star, is dead.

Roberts died suddenly Sunday of a stomach hemorrhage. He was 70 years old.

Born in Readyville, Tenn., he entered the clothing business in Murfreesboro, Tenn., later moving to Nashville to engage in the clothing business.

In 1880 he came to St. Louis as a salesman for the Hamilton Brown Shoe Company. Seventeen years later he organized the Robertson Johnson and Rand Company and pushed his business agressively.

Nine years ago with Roberts, Johnson and Rand as a nucleus, he organized the International Shoe Company, the largest in the world.

Among Mexia visitors to Waco Sunday were Messrs. Smith, Hall, Tatum, Corley, Mason, Harris and Eubanks.

J. D. Arrington and son, Oran, are in Ft. Worth on business today.

BENWOOD, W. Va., April 28.—One hundred and fourteen miners are entombed in the Benwood mine of the Wheeling Steel Corporation today. A gas explosion occurred shortly after the men entered the mine for work.

Workers from all surrounding mines were brought to Benwood mine in automobiles to assist in rescue work.

One hundred and fifty five men entered the mine at 7 this morning. Eleven of them are believed to have escaped the explosion. Miners who escaped donned gas masks and led the searching parties back into the mine.

Mine rescue cars arrived from Pittsburgh and Clarksburg.

Trained workers with rescue anparatus descended into the mine aided by scores of miners recruited from surrounding pits.

The explosion caused no fire, which increases the chances of the entombed miners being brought out alive.

Hundreds gathered around the mine mouth, many of them being women and children.

Dry Crusader's Home Bombed in Chicago Today

CHICAGO, April 28.—Bootleggers bombed the home of Rev. Elmer L. Williams, dry crusader here early today. The entire front of the Williams home was ripped out, but all members of the family escaped with only shock and bruises, caused by being hurled from beds.

Rev. Williams gave the police the names of two notorious bootleggers. He said he had been threatened with death unless he put a stop to his crusades against rum runners.

NEW BOSTON, Texas, April 28.—New Boston voted $130,000 for road improvement at a special election.

Miss Estelle Bauder spent Sunday in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Adair of Groesbeck were Mexia visitors Saturday night.

Harry G. Porter was a Mart visitor Sunday.

Corliss Palmer Sued for $200,000.

CORLISS PALMER.

In 1920 Corliss Palmer, cigar counter clerk in Macon, Ga., won a beauty contest staged by a motion picture magazine owned by Bruce Brewster, millionaire New York publisher. At the invitation of Brewster and his wife, she came to live with them while filling a motion picture contract. Later Brewster purchased a $250,000 estate for her at Morristown, N. J., where she lived with her mother and Brewster. Now Mrs. Brewster, who refuses to get a divorce, has sued her for $200,000 for alleged alienation of affections.

MEN WHO FIGURE IN THE NEWS OF THE DAY.

Above:- Henry C. Wallace, Smith W. Brookhart, Raymond Poincare.
Below:- Eugene O'Neill, Ramsay MacDonald, Burton K. Wheeler.

In a series of notes that have passed between Raymond Poincare and Ramsay MacDonald, Great Britain's First Labor Premier has frankly told the French Premier that France's policy since the World War is breeding a new war. Despite protests, the Provincetown Players, of New York, will produce Eugene O'Neill's play, "All God's Chillun's Got Wings," in which Miss Mary Blair, a white actress, kneels before and kisses the hand of Paul Robeson, full-blooded negro actor. U. S. Senator Smith W. Brookhart, of Iowa, heads the Senate committee that will investigate the official acts of Attorney-General Harry M. Daugherty. U. S. Senator Burton K. Wheeler, of Montana, has challenged Daugherty to name any Senator he thinks should resign because of his official actions. Steaks from buffalo have been sent to Secretary of Agriculture Henry C. Wallace from Montana to show that the meat is equally as good as beef.

One Dead And Heavy Loss From Cigarette Fire

LOWELL, Mass., April 28.—A smouldering cigarette, carelessly tossed on the floor, is believed to have caused the fire here Sunday which destroyed seven buildings in the heart of the city.

One fireman, Captain Edward P. Cunningham, was killed when a wall buckled and he was buried beneath an avalanche of stones.

Eight other firemen were injured by falling debris.

It is estimated the damage will be more than $500,000.

BANKERS OPEN U. S. ANNUAL MEETING IN CITY OF AUGUSTA GA.

AUGUSTA, Ga., April 28.8—Immediate action by Congress on the tax revisions plans would be the greatest help American business men could have at this time, Walter W. Head, of Omaha, Neb., President of the American Bankers' Association, said in opening the meeting of the association's executive council here today.

"Taxes being a part of the expense of doing business a business man has to know what they are to be," he said. "If Congress would not do so much investigating and get the tax question settled business all over the country would be on a sounder footing.

CONGRESS TO PRINT SOMETHING IN RECORD

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Congress todahy will be asked to give nationwide publicity, through the Congressional Record to a voluminous denial by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon of charges that Government bonds have been duplicated. Mellon in a report to President Coolidge said that duplication charges made by Charles B. Brewer, Department of Justice agent, had been completely disproved by an exhaustive investigation by the Treasury Department itself.

Russell Reed of Coolidge is one of the issue editors of The Daily Texan, published by students of the University of Texas. The Daily Texans bears the distinction of being edited, printed and circulated by students of the University.

BREWER'S NOTORIOUS SON DIES ENDING CAREER SPENT SPENDIN MILLIONS LEFT HIM BY FATHER

PARIS, April 28.—The career of George Burton, nee Bernheimer, sometimes gay, sometimes tragic, always notorious, came to an end Saturday night when the New Yorker whose greatest fame resulted from his beng left waiting at the church by Charlotte Demarest, was found dead in bed from a blood clot at the base of the brain. He had spent the night on Montmartre, scene of many of his most lavish entertainments.

George Burton, whose real name was Bernheimer, preferred Paris to New York as a scene for his activities, which were largely devoted to entertaining with his share of his father's $4,000,000 fortune. Previous to coming to Paris, Bernheimer gained much notoriety in New York by his lavish parties.

His uncle, Simon Bernheimer, died suddenly while playfully beating a drum in New York in 1911. His father Max, died while testifying in a damage suit in the Supreme Court. His mother was Mrs. Frederick Houseman.

On May 9, 1922, Bernheimer, now Burton, was to have married the charming debutante, Miss Charlotte Demarest. But that morning she and young Count Edward George Zichy of Hungary slipped away and were married in the Municipal chapel.

ATTORNEY'S FOR MAYFIELD ASK DECISION AS TO VOTES

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Attorneys for Senator Mayfield today demanded that the Senate committee investigating the Mayfield-Peddy election contest decide the legality of votes cast in the election before beginnig the hearings. If charges made by our opponents are legal then Mayfield will be automatically thrown out of office, Cumbrunn said. Luther Nickels, attorney for George Peddy, contesting Mayfield's election, demanded that the committee proceed with the hearing.

QUARANTINE PLAN IS NOW IN EFFECT.

PHOENIX, Arizona, April 28.—Arizona's disinfection of all railroad passengers from California as a preventive against the foot and mouth disease, became effective today. At three points—Yuma, Wickenburg, and Kingman—incoming travelers subjected themselves to disinfection solution strong enough to kill any lurking germs. Baggage was also fumigated.

British World Flier Forced Down In Sand

KARACHI, India, April 28.—Forced down onto the sandy wastes of the Sind desert near Bali, Major MacLaren today left his British round-the-world flight plane under armed guard and returned to Karachi in search of a new engine.

The British globe girdling effort probably will be delayed at least a fortnight by the accident to MacLaren's machine which interrupted flight from Karachi Saturday.

It is reported the British airman will find it impossible to find the necessary engine or parts in India and that an engine will have to be brought from Iraq by steamer.

MacLaren's accumulated flying time from England to Partu, the desert town where he descended Saturday is 73 hours and 13 minutes.

ONE DIES IN BIG EXPLOSION.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 28.—One man was killed today in an explosion which rocked buildings within radius of three square blocks. Authorities believed the man was carrying a quantity of nitrogyycerine which exploded. His identity was not established.

SENSATION SPRUNG IN SENATE WHEN TELEGRA. IS READ BY SENATOR NORRIS BEFORE BODY

WASHINGTON, April 28.—A sensation was sprung in the Senate Agricultural Committee today when Chairman Norris read into the record a telegram in which President Coolidge was quoted as saying that he hoped Henry Ford would not do or say anything "that will make it difficult for me to deliver Muscle Shoals to him as I am trying to do." The telegram, which was one of a number turned over to the committee under a subpoena to the local telegraph company, was sent to William J. Cameron or Ernest G. Liebold, care Dearborn Independent, Detroit, by James Martin Miller, National Press Club, Washington. Liebold is Ford's private secretary.

Secretary of War Weeks, who was on the stand when Norris sprung the telegram, disclaimed any knowledge of the matter reported in it or of President Coolidge's attitude concerning the Ford offer. Weeks declared that he did not believe the president had made any such statement.

The Ford interview referred to in the message, was a scathing attack on Weeks for his sale of the Georgas Power Plant to the Alabama Power Company.

Major Leaguers Getting Stride Toward Pennant

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, April 28.—After a lot of jostling and bumping around at the start the strong clubs of the major leagues are getting into their stride and the team standing begins to look more familiar as the third week of the pennant races approaches.

The Yankees and the Cubs jumped into second place yesterday behind the league leading Tigers and Giants while the Athletics and the Reds slipped down a notch to third place.

The Tigers and the Giants are holding the lead by playing the best ball of the early season. They are both getting effective pitching and timely hitting.

By a drive which featured the past week the champnon Yanks climbed up into second place. The team is getting the expected results now from its star pitching staff and it has applied its scattered hitting at the most opportune times.

The Cincinnati Reds are losing when their pitching does not hold up and that was to be expected as the team has not the offensive punch to bet by when its pitching is 95 per cent.

After feasting off the Braves and the Robins, the Giants are reaching the end of the easy spots that were given them by the schedule. The National League champions have won three of their eight games from the Braves and the other five from the Robins.

Compared to this rather easy assignment the Cubs have won one game from the Reds, one from the Pirates and six from the Cards. The Reds have done best against the hardest opposition by winning three games from the Cubs and four from the Pirates.

The Yankees have taken five games from the Red Sox, two from the Senators and one from the Athletics while the Tigers have taken two from the White Sox, three from the Indians and three from the Browns.

With all their vaunted punching power, the Indians have been finding that pitching is the most important part of the defense and that a defense is necessary even with a powerful offensive. The hitting of Heilman, star outfielder for the Detroit Tigers and Grantham, the young Cub second base man have been big features of the early season.

MAN CHARGED WITH MURDER IS JAILED

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., April 28. Clarence Baring, accused by his wealthy wife of putting arsenic in her food, was held without bail today when arraigned on a charge of attempted murder. He was remanded to jail to await the action of the grand jury, which is expected to return an indictment against him.

Frenchman May Be In Front of British Flier

PARIS, April 28.—Lieut. Pelletier D'Oisy, French airman who set out from Paris Thursday a dash for distance flight honor is believed to have overtaken A. S. N. MacLaren, British flyer who left England last month.

D'Oisy, attempting a flight to Japan which may be extended into an around-the-world effort, was last reported to have taken off from Basra, a frontier city of Asiatic Turkey near the Persian Gulf, for Karachi.

Major MacLaren flew from Karachi Saturday, but was forced down in the Sind desert and is returning to Karachi by train to obtain new engine parts.

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, April 28—The foreign exchange rates were slightly irregular at the opening.

Sterling 439 1-8; francs 0650 1-2; lire 0448; Belgian 0560 1-2; marks 4,5000, billion to the dollar.

Opening

Opening prices on the stock exchange today include American Can 103, up 1-8; American sugar 42 1-2, up 1-4; Studebaker 85 1-2, off 3-8; Norfilk and Western 122 1-4, up 3-4; New Haven 18 1-8, up 1-8; Texas Company 41 3-4, up 1-8; U. S. Steel 106 1-4, off 5-8; Marland preferred 37 7-8; Cosden 33 1-4, off 1-4: Cuba Cane preferred 59; Congoleum 41 3-8, up 1-4; Marland 35; North American 23 1-4.

CHIEF OF POLICE IS ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

COMMERCE, Okla., April 28.—C. M. Fly, chief of police, was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of a revolver in the hands of Troy Leveridge, a deputy, while the two were raiding an alleged gambling den here early Sunday.

Hugh Freeman is home from Dallas where he spent Sunday with his brother, W. D. Freeman, who is there in the Baptist sanitarium. The latter will be able to return the latter part of the week.

AUSTIN, Texas, April 28.—Alton Nichols, 20, high school student, killed himself with a shotgun. He had been in ill health.

TEXARKANA, Texas, April 28.—Clifford Daniels, 16, accidentally shot himself to death while shooting at a stray dog which was chasing chickens in his backyard.

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, April 28.—R. F. Struwe, Caldwell, A. & M. student here, was drowned in a lake near the campus Sunday while swimming.

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REDUCING TAXES AT HOME

Much comment and some study are being given to the subject of State taxation today. This is due to the gubernatorial campaign, which is lighting its fires all over the big state. By June, the state will be aflame with the discussions, more comments and more thought. It is well that this is so.

One of the best things about a representative government such as this people enjoy is that when ambitious representatives go before the people they discuss matters of government which should be of concern and intelligently understood by every citizen.

But while thinking of taxes, as applied to the state of Texas, no citizen should forget that he has a duty at home. There are taxes and more taxes. There are Federal and State taxes; there are county taxes; there are school taxes, good roads taxes, city taxes and other taxes.

Every citizen is interested in the subject of tax reduction, although it is entirely reasonable to assume that no thoughtful citizen would agree to reductions calculated to cripple the city, school district, county, state or nation.

The best way on earth to foster by tax funds worthy institutions and programs is to tax all property on the same basis, without regard to class favoritism or political preferment.

If all the wealth in Mexia bore its proportionate share of local taxes, it would lighten the burden falling today on the shoulders of the people who pay the taxes. The man who has little wealth usually cannot conceal it. If he owns a little home, there it is for the tax assessor to see. Perhaps it cost him $3,000. He may yet own $1500 of that. But the tax assessor comes along. He talks freely with him and they decide upon taxing it, say for $2100. The Board of Equalization goes over the list and when it comes to this man, it considers the case earnestly and perhaps lets it stand at that. He is even then paying on a more than 100 per cent basis of what he actually owns, supposing his equity in the little place cost him $1500. In the meantime hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of property is invisible to the tax assessor and board of equalization and its disclosure is solely in the hands of te possessor. It naturally escapes taxation.

These perplexities have puzzled cities for many years. The Somers system of taxation has been adopted in many places. Dallas today applies the Somers plan. So does Hillsboro and many other places in Texas. Ennis is now considering it. Boards of equalization everywhere hail its introduction and establishment with pleasure, for theirs, at the best, is by no means an easy task.

The chief feature of the plan is that the city where the system is to be applied is completely surveyed by experts, so that there need be no guesswork as to the value of a piece of property but each and everyone are taxed on a scientific and accurate basis.

Its chief virtue is in the just equalization and reduction of taxes.

Certainly such a plan should merit the study and investigation of those interested in the improvement of Mexia. While Ennis, a nearby city, is making her decision, why should not Mexia also invite representatives of the Somers system to come here and present the matter in detail.

Let Mexia take full opportunity to profit by the exepriences of others, seeking for herself the good and rejecting the bad.

TOMOTOES AND ORANGES CURE MANY ILLS IN BABIES AND PEOPLE OF ALL AGES AS WELL

DENTON, Texas, April 26.—Tomatoes and oranges prevent scurvy, a disease known to the ancients and prevalent also among moderns, and especially babies and young children. It has been found that over half of our young children suffered from scurvy in a mild or more aggravated form. Much so-called rheumatism common in the spring is probably really scurvy, resulting from too little vitamin—found in fresh fruits and vegetables—in the winter diet. Serve tomatoes or oranges to every member of the family at least once a day. Cooked tomatoes are practically as good as raw, one of the few foods in which the vitamin is not destroyed in cooking, due to the presence of acid.

Breakfast: Sliced oranges with powdered sugar; oatmeal, cream and sugar; plain fluffy omelet; Graham bread, toast; coffee.

Luncheon: Corn au gratin; wilted lettuce with bacon strips; rolls; fruit conserve; tea.

Dinner: Baked ham in sweet milk; scalloped Irish potatoes; buttered beets; bread; butter; strawberry short cake.

Corn au Gratin.

Take one can corn, season with salt and pepper, heat in a sauce pan and add two tablespoon butter. Remove from fire and add one egg well beaten. Line a casserole with dry bread crumbs buttered, put in a layer of corn and sprinkle with grated cheese. Add remaining corn, a thin layer of bread crumbs and cover the top with grated cheese. Dash a few grains of red pepper on top. Bake in a moderate oven twenty minutes.

Baked Ham in Milk.

Select a piece of ham cut three inches thick and with little bone. Wipe well and rub about 3 T. brown sugar into the ham. Place in a baking dish and pour over 1 and 1-2 c. of sweet milk. Cook with the cover on until done. Remove the cover and brown on top.

Breakfast.

Cream of wheat and dates; sugar and cream; scrambled eggs and chopped ham (left over;) bran muffins; butter; coffee; sugar; cream.

Luncheon.

Sweet breads or rice cakes; stewed tomatoes; nut bread; butter; orange marmalade; tea.

Dinner.

Baked potatoes; veal birds; creamed carrots; jelly; bread; butter; grape fruit and orange salad; cream pie; coffee.

Creamed Sweet Breads.

Add parboiled sweet breads broken into small pieces to 2 cups medium white sauce (4 T. butter, 4 T. flour, 2 c. milk) reheat and serve on toast. If toast is too hard it may be dipped very quickly into boiling salted water.

Rice Cakes.

To 2 c. boiled rice add one egg, one t. sugar. If not soft enough add a little milk, cream or melted butter. Shape into flat cakes 1-2 inch thick. Roll in bread crumbs and saute in butter. 2 T. of grated cheese may be added if these are served without sweet breads.

DENTON, Texas, April 28.—The Women's Missionary Society of the North Texas Conference of Methodist Church met here today. Two hundred delegates attended.

HEARNE, Texas, April 28.—Mrs. Eliza Welch, pioneer Texan, died at her home here at the age of 90 years.

J. S. Stewart was in Waco Sunday.

FIGHTS AND FIGHTERS

NEW YORK—Owing to excessive financial demands made by Luis Firpo, Tex Rickard announced that he had notified his representative to discontinue all discussion with the South American champion. Rickard said Firpo demanded $250,000 for meeting Harry Wills and had shown that he was afraid of Wills by turning down an offer of $200,000.

GENEVA.—Clement, light heavyweight champion of Switzerland, claimed the European championship today after winning a 20 round decision from Bronnell, French champion.

NEW YORK.—Erminio Spalla, European heavyweight champion, who has contracted to appear in a number of contests for Tex Rickard, is scheduled to arrive today from South America. Spalla probably will do his training in New Jersey.

JURORS PROBING INTO MURDER OF WEALTHY WOMAN

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., April 28. Charges that Clarence E. Baring administered arsenic to his wealthy wife in an attempt to murder her were to be presented to a grand jury here today as authorities delved deeper into the strange tales of intrigue and jealousy that surrounded the life of the couple.

District Attorney Arthur Rowland of Westchester County also charges that has evidence that pneumonia and diptheria germs were given the wealthy woman.

Baring is held in the county jail without bail and will be arraigned today.

The authorities charge that for three months Baring—an amateur chemist—fed arsenic and germs to his wife in stuffed dates, malted milk, gingerale and other foods. They say her frequent illness from the poison first caused suspicion to point towards the husband.

Mrs. Baring is described as jealous and has accused her husband of relations with another woman.

The couple on the verge of divorce a year ago but a reconciliation ended with a second honeymoon to Europe.

Friends say Baring is a neurotic with a passion for studying chemistry. He has a small laboratory in his home. They feel his bent for chemistry may have resulted in his experimenting on his wife.

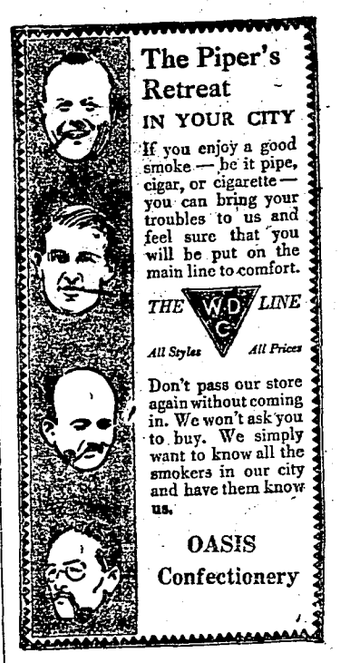
THE WEATHER

East Texas.—Tonight and Tuesday partly cloudy and unsettled. Somewhat warmer in northeast tonight, and in north and west Tuesday.

West Texas.—Tonight partly cloudy and warmer in north. Tuesday partly cloudy and warmer in southwest.

R. G. Rooker was a Corsicana visitor Sunday.

CALL, Texas, April 27.—Five hundred employes of the Kirby Lumber company here were without work today following a fire which destroyed the sawmill. Loss from the flames was approximately $100,000.



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The Mexia Daily News

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May First Dedicated To Children In Nation-Wide Festival Planned To Stimulate Health Activities

A nation-wide demonstration with a purpose which its sponsors anticipate will have an instant appeal to the minds and hearts of all America is that planned for May Day of this year by the officials of the American Child Health Association.

The day, always associated with childhood in its happiest mood, has been dedicated by the Association as the one most fitting on which to carry on a program devised to awaken the interest of grown-ups in the health and happiness of the nation's boys and girls. President Calvin Coolidge, all the governors, municipal authorities, prominent educators and ministers are united with millions of parents in this great effort to carry before the public the gospel of child health.

Officials of the Association, among whom are many of the successful American authorities on social problems, selected May Day for their programs so that the festivals associated with that date might be held, but they have given the day an additional designation of great significance— they call it "take heed day" for the parents. The Association will have considered its task worth while if the interest of the community is aroused in the concerted effort to safeguard the health of the boys and girls of the nation.

PHOTO KEYSTONE

Traditional customs of the Day will have a large part in the observance. The picturesque hanging of May baskets, the colorful pageants and, of course, May Pole dancing are to be included in the programs. The festival spirit will predominate.

Herbert Hoover, president of the American Child Health Association, discussed the May Day program in a call to the grown-ups of America to join in the demonstration.

"We wish to emphasize the fact," he says, "that child health is the personal concern of every citizen of the United States.

In a single sentence the Association's president sums up just what the organization seeks to accomplish by the May Day observance.

"This," he says, "is a problem of maintaining health rather than of curing disease."

Just a year ago, President Hoover published the American Child's Bill of Rights, and it still is the platform on which the Association is carrying on its work. He then declared that there "should be no child in America who:

"Is not born under proper conditions.

"Does not live in hygienic surroundings.

"Ever suffers from malnutrition.

"Does not have an opportunity for outdoor play.

"Does not have prompt and efficient medical inspection and attention.

"Does not receive primary instruction in the elements of hygiene and health."

It is in an effort to induce every community to translate this Bill of Rights into living facts that the Association has planned the May Day celebration. Miss Crandall is the organization's associate general executive.

The Association has its headquarters at 370 Seventh Avenue, New York City.

Look Out For Grasshoppers

R. R. REPPERT
Entomologist

Farmers in many parts of Texas are fearful lest last years damage from grasshoppers may be repated this season. From some of our western counties are coming reports of grasshoppers already hatching, although at this early date no damage has yet resulted.

It is difficult to forsee what the outcome may be. Last year the dry weather reduced the pasture growth and drove the hoppers to the cultivated field bringing about heavy damage that might otherwise have been avoided. With the moisture in the soil this season it is possible that even if large numbers of the hoppers emerge they will remain in the pastures and the damage to cultivated crops may thus be light.

At the same time, farmers should be fully prepared to wage a fight if necessary. Success in saving the crops will depend mainly in promptness in destroying the hoppers previous to their actual entrance into the fields. Do not wait until they have destroyed half the fields.

The following formula is the one recommended, having been used with success in Texas as well as in other states.

Wheat bran, 25 pounds
White arsenic or Paris green, 1 pound
Lemons or oranges, 6 fruits
Low grade cane or sorghum molasses, 2 quarts
Water 2 gallons.

Mix the bran and poison thoroughly while dry. Dilute the molasses with the amount of water as named. Squeeze the lemon juice into this diluted molasses, then grind the rind of the lemons with a meat chopper and add this also to the liquid. Now mix the liquid thoroughly with the poison bran mixture. After an even mixture has been obtained, add more water and mix, until a mash is obtained so that after being squeezed in the hand, it readily falls apart.

Grasshoppers feed in the morning, and as the bait loses its attractiveness when dry, it should be applied so as to be as moist as possible at this time. It will therefore be best to put it out about sunrise. Provided the ground is not so hot and dry as to remove the moisture during the night, it may be put out late in the evening in case the area to be treated is too extensive to be quickly covered in early morning. The mixture should be scattered, as if sowing seed, by hand, or any type of seeder capable of distributing it. The amount given in the formula thould cover about five acres.

Where the hoppers have become distributed over the cultivated field, the entire area should be sown, and the application repated in a few days if necessary. If the hoppers are found to be advancing from pasture lands, distribute the mash in front of their line of march for a distance of a couple of hundred yards, keping also the margin of the pasture land treated daily until the danger of damage has passed.

The mixture should be made exactly as directed, leaving out no part. Where the infestation is general, community action is recommended. The materials should be provided in large quantities, and a large amount of the mixture made up at a central place late in the evening, or better, well before daylight in the morning. Each farmer will then take his portion and apply immediately.

Suggested Steps in Carrying Out a Campaign

1. Watch for numbers of the insects in the pastures and along the fences.

2. If found abundant there, locate sources of the various ingredients of the formula (write the wholesale drug companies in the larger cities of Texas regarding supplies and prices of the poison.)

3. Have the County Commissioners establish a revolving fund for the purchase of poison and its resale to farmers at cost.

4. If the hoppers threaten the crops, start action at once. Establish mixing plants.

5. Persist in the fight till the insects are destroyed and the crops saved.

Be guided by the advice of your county agent, such assistance will be given by the Extension Entomologist as is physically possible.

A Substitute for the Fruit in the Formula Above

Experiments in Montana have shown that amyl acetate, substituted for lemons, has increased the effectiveness of the poison bait. The most effective formula there appeared to be as follows:

Wheat bran, 25 pounds.
Salt, 1 pound.
White arsenic or Paris green, 1 pound
Low grade cane or sorghum molasses, 2 quarts
Amly acetate, 1 oz.
Water 10 quarts.

Amyl acetate as a substitute for the fruit has been tested in Texas by the Federal entomologist, and while the results were successful, we hardly think the work has been sufficiently extensive as to justify us in giving this latter formula our unqualified endorsement. We suggest that farmers stick to the first formula, and experiment on a small scale with this latter formula. Amyl acetate has the advantage of being much cheaper. Use only high grades of amyl acetate neoted as "C. P.", "U. S. P." or "technical," and avoid compounds presented as "banana oil", "bronzing liquids," or "amyl acetate deviratives," which contain so little of the active material and so many impurities as to make them unadapted to grasshopper work.

Denton Women Indorse Edwards

The following resolution endorsing W. C. Edwards of Denton for the Democratic nomination for Lieutenant Governor was unanimously adopted at a general meeting February 4 of the Ariel Club, the oldest and largest women's club in Denton County:

"The Citizenship Committee of the Ariel Club wishes to ask the women of the club to give their unanimous and enthusiastic support to Mr. W. C. Edwards, who is a candidate for the position of Lieutenant Governor of Texas.

Mr. Edwards has been a citizen of Denton since he was a small boy and represents the type of man of whom his townsmen are justly proud. Denton owes him a debt of gratitude for editing one of the cleanest and most interesting newspapers in the State. Every undertaking that has been for the welfare of Denton has been backed by Mr. Edwards, both by his personal efforts and through the columns of the Record-Chronicle.

Wise indeed was Denton County when it elected Mr. Edwards as Representative to the Thirty-eighth Legislature, for there was no member of the House who made a finer reputation. His work was of the nature that counts, being done principally in the committee rooms, and his influence was felt in the entire Legislative body. For all educational measures he labored untiringly and he gave his valuable support to the bills in which women of the State were deeply concerned.

As Lieutenant Governor, Mr. Edwards will be President of the Senate, a position that carries with it opportunity for much effect work, so we are urging you not only to endorse Mr. Edwards but also to take some active part in assuring the success of his campaign.

(Signed)

MARY E. JAGOE,
EDITH L. CLARK,
MARY B. SCHWEER."

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Yesterday's hero: Ty Cobb.

The ancient manager of the Detroit Tigers stole home for the second time, and helped beat the White Sox 4 to 3. A pass to Pratt in the ninth inning with the bases full pushed over the winning run.

Jacques Fournier accounted for five Brooklyn runs with two homers but the Giants won out 9 to 5.

Nine runs scored by heavy batting in the first two innings enabled the Yankees to beat the Athletics 11 to 2 before a crowd of 50,000.

Bunched hits in two innings scored two runs each and the Cubs went into second place by beating the Pirates, 4 to 2.

The Indians out-punched the St. Louis Browns in a heavy hitting game and won, 10 to 9. Speaker, Williams, Roberts and McManus hit homers.

Bunching their hits in the late innings the Senators out-slugged the Red Sox and won 9 to 6. The Red Sox pulled a triple play.

Two runs scored in the ninth inning off Jake May gave the Cards a 6 to 4 victory over the Reds.

Sunday's Home Run Hitters.

	Total
Fournier, Robins, 2	3
McManus, Browns, 1	3
Speaker, Indians, 1	2
Barnhart, Pirates, 1	2
Williams, Browns, 1	1
Roberts, Browns, 1	1
Dykes, Athletics, 1	1
Rigney, Tigers, 1	1

Home Run Leaders.

Hornsby, Cards	4
Ruth, Yanks	3
Fournier, Robins,	3
McManus, Browns	3
Grnantham, Cubs	3

With Ruth at Bat.

First innings—walked.
Second inning—doubled to right.
Third inning—walked.
Fifth inning—walked.
Seventh inning—sacrifice fly to center.

CITY ATTORNEY WALTERS MAN HONORED AT OLD HOME

Judge G. A. Walters, City Attorney of Mexia, has been in San Saba, his former home, during the past week. While there, the newspapers in San Saba carried the following accounts of his presence there:

San Saba Star

Major G. A. Walters of Mexia is here attending district court, and incidentally, giving his oldtime friends the glad hand, all of whom are glad to see him. Here, where he has spent something less than 40 years of his life, it is not "Major" but just plain, common everyday "Ab" Walters with out the extra prefixes to his name. He has been engaged in the trial of cases continuously since his arrival. He is universally liked by all our people and there has never been a practicing attorney here who has greater weight with a jury in this county than Ab Walters. Since Ab arrived back in his old home he gets to reminiscing about the stately pecan trees along the river and the ravenous appetite of the blue cats and bass that sport in her sparkling waters and there is just a faint glimmer in his demeanor that he wished he hadn't done it, but he then branches off into a laudatory spiel of the wonderful section of which Mexia is the capital. We are glad to know that the "Major" is prospering in his new home, but we'll bet he comes back home when he gets all the money he wants—for fishing is fine and the ozone—Oh! boy.

Maybe he'll come back and give an address to the graduating class of 1924. For he too, at one time belonged to the graduating class of the San Saba High School. We know of no one who could fill the bill on this occasion as well as Ab Walters.

Hon. G. A. Walters Attending Court This Week

San Saba News.

Hon. G. A. Walters of Mexia is representing clieents in district court in San Saba this week. Mr. Walters practiced at the bar here for many years and is well known to the people of this entire county. Mr. Walters is a successful lawyer and an all round good citizen and live wire. His many friends rejoice in his successes in his new field, where he has lived the past two years and where he has built up a lucrative law practice and become identified with the business interests of his town. He is City Attorney of his busy bustling oil city and when those Central Texas people want to put up Ab Walters for Attorney General the old San Saba friends will be close up to their warm side and helping them to "carry on."

GILMER, Texas, April 28.—Dr. W. Hyde was released under bonds of $7,500 after being indicted for the murder of Dick Atkinson at Big Sandy.

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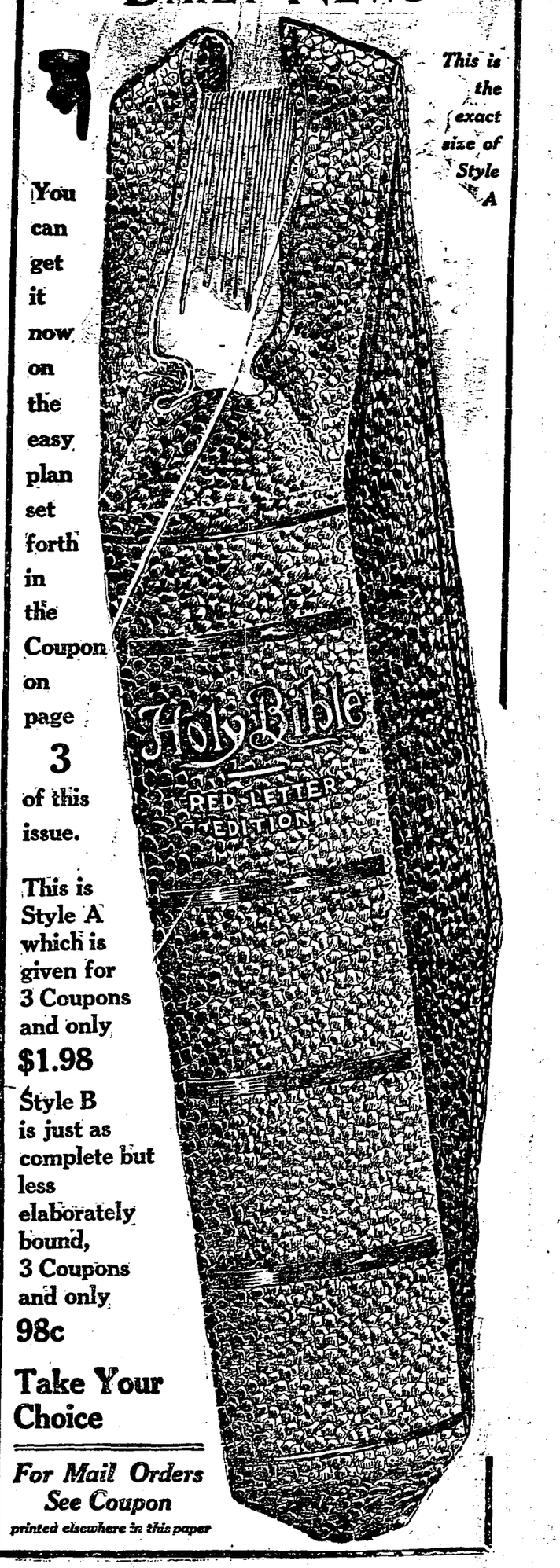

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KIRBY HALL TO BE HOME FOR METHODIST STUDENTS

AUSTIN, Texas, April 26.—Designed to furnish a home for more than 100 Methodist students attending the University of Texas, the Helen Marr Kirby Hall is soon to be a reality. Construction of the first floor of the immense dormitory, located five blocks north of the campus on Guadalupe Street has been completed and by the opening of the fall term, the $124,000 building will be ready for occupancy.

It is to be not only beautiful, but thoroughly modern in every respect, with brick facing over a heavily reinforced steel structure, making it practically fireproof.

The architect's plans call for three reception rooms, a large one to provide for general gatherings, and two small ones for more limited grouping of the girls and their friends. The modern features will be improved by the addition of a laundry, and a small kitchenette for private use.

The dormitory is named for the late Helen Marr Kirby, who was for thirty-seven years the dean of women at the University of Texas. Mrs. Kirby was one of the outstanding women of Methodism while she was connected with the University. The hundreds and thousands of girls who came under her influence on the campus, were active in raising the necessary funds for the building.

The movement to build the Hall began in 1918, when Southern Methodist Centenary undertook to build a girls dormitory at Oklahoma, Texas and Missouri universities, and $200,000 was set aside for the purpose. The Methodist women of Texas raised $58,000; and this sum, added to their share of $66,000 given by the Southern Methodist centenary brought the total to $124,000, which is to be the cost of the building.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Welch is going up rapidly on Ross Avenue. It will be ready for occupancy within a very short while. Many new homes are contemplated in the city which will be built this spring and summer. As the cotton mills plans begin to mature scores of others are expected here. Come to Mexia.

C. O. Shields was a business visitor to Corsicana Saturday.

MANY ROTARIANS HOLD 100 PER CENT CARDS FOR YEAR

According to the records in the book of Secretary Ben F. Stollenwerck of the Mexia Rotary club 31 Rotarians have attended every meeting of the club, during the year 1924, or since they joined.

In addition to these 12 members have missed only one meeting during this period.

The 100 per cent Rotarians are J. D. Arrington, George H. Bell, Elmer Beene, Albert H. Berry, Bob Crow, Carl Davis, J. W. Elliott, A. Hardy Eubanks, Nelson Forrest, Paul B. Harper, Frazier Hendricks, Jim Hodges, Bill Kendrick, Perier McKenzie, Mac McIntosh, Ruben Maddox, David Murphy, Tom Nolan, John Neece Pat Patterson Duke Pittman, John Prickett, Cap. Puckett, Ernest Strange, Buck Tidwell, Dick Wagner, Cecil White.

Here is a list of the Charter Members of the club who still show 100 per cent all the way through: Albert Berry, Hardy Eubanks, Tom Nolan.

Friends Planning Memorial Library For Dean Townes

AUSTIN, Texas, April 28.—In memory of the late Judge John C. Townes, dean of the University of Texas Law School for 16 years, plans are being made by the factulty of the Law School to establish a $100,000 library for legal research to be known as the Townes Memorial Library.

"Various proposals were considered," said Dr. G. C. Butte, dean of the Law School," and it was decided that the memorial should be perpetual, should respect the dignity, character, and intellectual interests of Judge Townes, and should be practically useful to the bench, the bar, the factulty and students of the law school. At least one hundred thousand dollars is to be raised, fifty thousand to be expended in books, periodicals and documents in legal history, science and philosophy, with special relation to the jurisprudence of Texas, that are not usually available in a lawyer's working library and for which we cannot reasonably expect the Legislature to make appropriation under present conditions.

"The remaining $50,000 is to constitute an endowment, the income of which is to be used annually for new additions to this library. The fund is to be vested in a board of trustees, elected by the donors. The library will be separately housed, as an annex to the regular library of the Law School, and the Regents will be asked to provide a fire proof room for the Townes collection. It is proposed that the library, being primarily for advanced legal research and composed of many rare books, will be open not only to the factulty and students of the Law School, but to members of the bench and bar at all times.

FORT WORTH.—The Texas railroad commission will listen to shipper's complaints against alleged high freight rates on bricks in a hearings here on June 16.

Marvin Webb was a Waco visitor Sunday.

LOU TELLEGEN
At the National Today.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS.

Tuesday.

Tuesday Bridge Club meets.

Odd Fellows meet at K. P. Hall in the evening.

Wednesday.

Knights Templars meet at Masonic Hall for degree work.

Prayer meeting at all local churches

Delphian Club meets at Public Library.

Thursday.

Springfield Lodge No. 74 A. F. and A. M. meets at Masonic Hall in the evening.

Knights of Pythias meet at K. of P. Hall for second rank work.

Rotary Club luncheon at Majestic cafe at 12:15 p. m.

Camp Fire Girls meet.

Sumpter Street Parent-Teachers Association meets at school house.

7-A Literary Club meets at McKinney Street School.

Friday.

Lions Club luncheon at Majestic cafe at 12:30 p. m.

Friday Club meets.

All local Scout troops meet.

Rebeccas meet at K. of P. Hall.

Saturday.

Junior Dramatic club meets at Public Library.

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The Boy Scouts enjoyed their usual weekly meetings at their respective meeting places Friday night.

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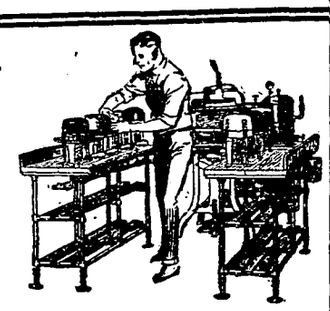

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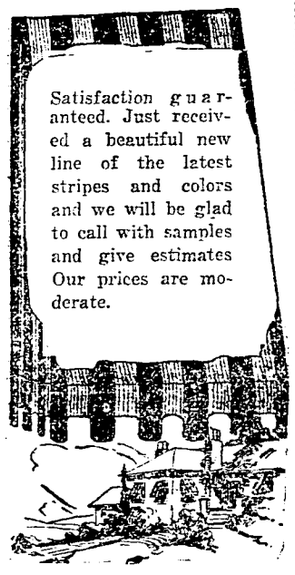

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Phone 667W — Jno. P. Young

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Doesn't it stand to reason that Willard—the largest battery maker—can produce the lowest priced *reliable* battery on the market today?

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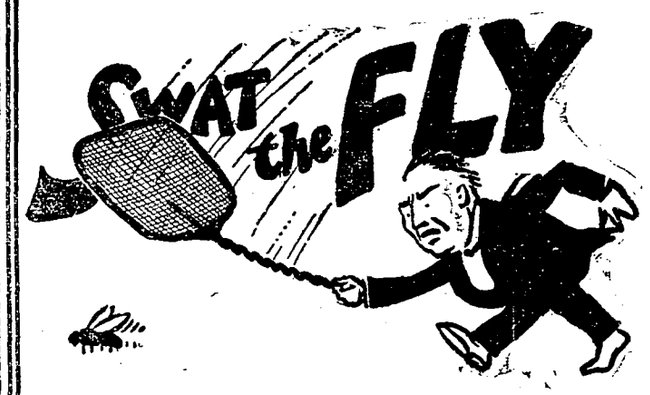

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—THE—
FLY

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Phone 35 107 East Palestine St.

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The following certified accessories can be procured from any Oldsmobile dealer in the U. S. at these net prices, complete with necessary attachments:

Front Bumper	$15.00
Rear Standard Bumper	15.00
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Radiator Cap, with Bars	2.50
Road Spot Light	5.00
Windshield Cleaner	1.25
Rear View Mirror	1.75
Trunk Rails (set of 4)	6.80
Sport Tire Carrier	7.50
Trunk Platform	7.00
Enameled Steel Trunk	25.00
Running Board Step Plates (pair)	4.75
Windshield Wings (pair)	17.00

Genuine Oldsmobile parts can be purchased from any Oldsmobile dealer in any part of the United States, at a standard price established by the factory, without addition of war tax, handling, or transportation charges. Every Oldsmobile dealer has a master parts price list issued by factory, which is always open for owners' inspection

When you buy an Oldsmobile Six you get a car which is as well equipped as any other car on the market. However, if you want articles of special equipment, such as a spot light or a pair of step plates, we can supply you with these and other accessories which have been tested and certified by the Olds Motor Works.

These high-grade accessories are specially designed for perfect fit and quick installation on the Oldsmobile Six. They are the best type of special equipment features for this car, as determined by Oldsmobile engineers.

Moreover, you can buy these accessories at low standard prices without the addition of any war tax, handling, or transportation charges.

Come in and examine our very complete stock of these Oldsmobile certified accessories.

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Hurdleston Hotel Bldg.

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THE SURRENDERED CHECK

In these days and times, when most people pay their bills with checks on the bank, there is much less lawing and going to court. "I have my 'surrendered check' to prove that I paid it" is the defense a man makes when he would dispute an account.

The surrendered check—the check returned by the bank to the one who drew it, is a BETTER BOOKKEEPING record than the majority of men have; the surrendered check is often the real proof in establishments which do keep their books.

PRENDERGAST-SMITH NATIONAL BANK
Since 1882—The Old Reliable

WE REBUILD AND PUT IN ORDER ALL MAKES OF PHONOGRAPHS

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WHEN BETTER WATCH REPAIRING IS DONE—WE WILL DO IT
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THE PATTERSON JEWELERY COMPANY

Parts Made For All Swiss Watches.

WE MAKE JEWELRY TO ORDER—OUR PLANT IN DALLAS IS SECOND TO NONE IN THE SOUTH.

ORDINANCE of the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, determining the necessity of levying an assessment against the property and the owners thereof on a portion of Kaufman Street, in the City of Mexia, for a part of the cost of improving said street, and fixing a time for hearing of the owners or agents of said owners of said property or of any person interested in said improvements, as provided by Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia, and directing the City Secretary to give notice of said hearing and examining and approving the plans and specifications and statement or report of the City Engineer, and declaring an Emergency.

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has heretofore by resolution passed and approved on the 15th day of February, 1924, ordered the improvement of Kaufman Street from the North line of Sumpter Street North to the city limits, in the City of Mexia; and,

WHEREAS, plans and specifications for the improvement of said street have been duly prepared and approved as required by the terms of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia; and,

WHEREAS, as required by said Statutes, Charter and Ordinances, after advertisement for bids for said work of improvement had been made, said work of improvement was let to Uvalde Paving Company to improve with Uvalde rock asphalt pavement on concrete base, and concrete curbs and gutters, as provided by said plans and specifications; and,

WHEREAS, a written contract has been entered into by and between the City of Mexia and Uvalde Paving Company on the 23rd day of April, 1924, for the construction of said improvements:

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA: That the plans and specifications and report or statement of the City Engineer filed with the City Commission, describing the abutting property and giving the names of property owners, and number of front feet and the cost of improvement chargeable against each abutting property and its owner, having been duly examined, is hereby approved. That the City Commission does hereby determine to assess the entire cost of curbs and three-fourths of the cost of all other improvements, against the owners of the property abutting thereon, and against their property, in accordance with the terms of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia. That the said assessment shall be made after the notice to such property owners and the hearing herein mentioned, and that the said portion of the said cost of improvements to be assessed against such property owners on said street, and their property, shall be in accordance with the front foot plan or rule in the proportion that the frontage of the property of each owner on said street or the portion of said street named to be improved bears to the frontage of the whole property to be improved on said street; provided, that after such hearing, if such plan of apportionment be found to be not just and equitable in particular instances the City Commission shall so apportion all said cost as to produce a substantial equality between all such property owners abutting on said street or the portion of said street to be improved, having in view the enhanced value of that property and the benefits derived from such improvement, and the burdens imposed upon them by such assessment, and that in no event shall any assessment be made against any owner or his property in excess of the enhanced value of such property by reasons of such improvement. That the proportionate cost of such improvement which is contemplated to be assessed against such owners and their properties shall become due and payable in five equal installments, one-fifth thirty days after the completion and acceptance of the improvement on said street, one fifth one year after said date, one fifth two years after said date, one fifth three years after said date, and one fifth four years after said date, together with interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum from the date of completion and acceptance of the improvement on said portion of said street named to be improved. That the total proportionate part of the cost of such improvement which is contemplated to be assessed against such owners and their respective properties and the names of the owners of property abutting upon said street aforesaid, properties to be improved, and the description of that property and the several amounts proposed to be assessed against them respectively for paving and for curb and gutter, and the grand total thereof, is as follows:

Kaufman Street from North Line of Sumpter Street North to City Limit Near Miller St.

Name	Description	Lin ft. paving @ $7.50	Amt.	Lin Ft. Curb @ .56925	Amt.	Total
D. H. Gibson, 75x150 of lot 1 Div. C		150	$ 1125.00	152.3	$ 86.69	$ 1,211.69
W. D. Pittman, Lots 1, 2 & 3 Blk A. Div. C		130	975.00	155.9	88.75	1,063.75
W. D. Pittman, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Blk B Div C		250	1875.00	312.9	178.12	2,053.12
E. R. Holland, Lot 28; Blk 2, Liberty Hts, Div LXIII		120	900.00	161.6	91.99	991.99
Dr. J. R. Harvey, Lot 1; Blk 2, Liberty Hts, Div. LXIII		120	900.00	161.6	91.99	991.99
Dr. J. R. Harvey, lot 20, blk 1, Liberty Hts, Div. LXIII		120	900.00	161.6	91.99	991.99
C. A. Lewis, pt lot 1, blk 1, Liberty Hts, Div LXIII		73	547.50	75.3	42.86	590.36
W. L. Adamson, S½ blk 6, Div. B		145	1087.50	145.0	82.54	1,170.04
Jesse Calame, N½ Blk. 6, Div. B		145	1087.50	145.0	82.54	1,170.04
Mexia Public School, Blk 7; Div. B		290	2175.00	329.3	187.45	2,362.45
J .H. Park, Blk C & D, Div. B, LXII		530	3975.00	569.3	325.07	4,299.07
		2073	$15547.50	2369.8	$1,348.99	$16,896.49

Summary of Kaufman Street

Property owners part paving	$15,547.50
Property owners part curbing	1,348.99
Total property owners part	$16,896.49
City's part paving	5,182.50
Total amount of the Street	$22,078.99

That a hearing shall be given to said owners, their agents and attorneys, and any person or persons interested in said improvements, before the City Commission of the City of Mexia, as provided by the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia, which said hearing shall be had on the 9th day of May, 1924, at 8 o'clock p. m., in the City Hall in the City of Mexia, Texas, and which said hearing shall be continued from day to day and from time to time, as may be necessary to give all said property owners, their agents or attorneys, and any interested person or persons, a full and fair hearing, and said owners, their agents or attorneys, and any interested person or persons, shall have the right to appear and be heard in any manner concerning the said improvements or said assessment,, or the benefits thereof to their said property, or any other matter or thing in connection therewith, or to contest said assessment, and at such hearing a full and fair opportunity shall be extended to said property owners, their agents or attorneys, and to all intertested persons, to be heard with respect to such improvements.

That after the conclusion of the hearing above mentioned such sum or sums as may be determined by the City Commission to be payable by said property owners shall be assessed against them respectively, and against their respective properties, by ordinance or ordinances, in the manner prescribed by the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia. That the City Secretary of the City of Mexia is hrerby directed to give notice to said property owners, their agents or attorneys of said hearing, as prescribed by the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia, by publishing said notice three times in a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Mexia, the first of said publications to be made at least ten days before the date set for said hearing. Said City Secretary shall also mail a copy of said notice by registered letter to each of said property owners, if known, or their agents or attorneys, if known, said letters to be deposited in the post office in the City of Mexia at least ten days before the date set for hearing. However, said notice by registered letter shall be cumulative only, and notice by publication shall be full, due and proper notice of said hearing.

That whereas, the fact that said portion of said street is in such urgent need of repair creates an emergency and imperative public necessity for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and property which requires that the rule requiring three several readings be suspended, and that this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed and approved, this 23rd, day of April, 1924.

E. WATSON, Mayor.

Attest: R. D. Morgan,
City Secretary. (24-5t)

Spring House Cleaning

How to Make It a Pleasure Instead of a Nuisance.

IT SEEMS to be a favorite theory of men that women enjoy spring cleaning as much as men dread it. The husband in full flight before the determined housewife, armed with mop, broom and pail, is a standard comic figure.

As a matter of fact that same housewife, who bears the real burden of the undertaking, dreads it far more than any mere man, who suffers at most a day or two of inconvenience and the temporary loss of his pipe or his slippers. What the good housewife likes is the sense of cleanliness and order which follows upon the annual event. The cleaning itself is an ordeal which calls for all of her courage and puts a heavy tax upon her physical strength.

It need not be so bad, however, if system and forethought are invoked beforehand. It is well to begin with the kitchen. If the utensils in every day use are of enameled ware, the task of cleaning them all is a light one. Soap and plenty of hot water will do the job without any undue expenditure of "elbow grease."

Of course kitchen pantries and kitchen shelves must be thoroughly cleaned out and useless articles eliminated. There is no use in these days of keeping odds and ends to collect dirt on the theory that they will come in usefully some day. With a clean kitchen to fall back on, the housewife has established strategic headquarters and can go about the rest of the house more at her convenience. The great help in such work is having the proper implements. Two pails should always be used in cleaning, one for scrub water and one for rinsing. If these pails are enameled ware, they are a comfort. Not only is the enameled ware light, but the pails themselves are so easily cleaned after a day's work with them. In prewar days housewives were urged to use large sponges for cleaning instead of cloths. That was good advice and is so still, if such sponges can be procured at moderate prices. If not, soft cloths, plenty of them, can be used. The real secret of good cleaning is plenty of rinsing after the scrubbing. As to mops, each woman must judge for herself. Some women like to use a mop and others say they never can get good results except on their hands and knees armed with their faithful scrub brushes.

In washing windows a small enameled ware hand basin to hold hot soap suds will be found very useful. To get the gloss as bright as possible, the soapsuds should be used hot. It is therefore better to mix them in a small receptacle like a hand basin or a good-sized enameled ware bowl, than to put them into an ordinary sized pail. Or a strong solution of one of the numerous soap powders may be made in an enameled ware pitcher and the preparation may be added to very hot water from time to time as required. These enameled ware pitchers are the only kind that can be guaranteed to withstand the rough and tumble of house-cleaning and come out with noses and handles intact.

Few people in these days have carpets to take up, and a rug covered floor gets so much incidental cleaning from day to day that there is not much accumulation of dust for the semi-annual event. However a thorough scrubbing never hurt anything and a room which has had people in it all through the shut-up winter months will be all the better for a good freshening. If there have been many colds in the family or children have been afflicted with some of the contagious maladies peculiar to their age, it may be well to use mild disinfectants in the cleaning water. There again we appreciate the enameled ware pails as they can not rust and are not affected by the chemicals used in such disinfectants.

Washing out curtains, both sash and long, always seems a formidable undertaking and so it is, if all such curtains are done at once. If, however, the sash curtains, for example, of each room are washed out when that room is cleaned, it makes the process easier. Fill a large sized enameled ware dishpan with very hot water; dissolve any favorite soap preparation in it, add the curtains and soak over night. Next day they will wash out without trouble and can be pressed while still damp. Long curtains can be washed in the same way, a pair at a time, and the wise housewife will have a frame on which to stretch them.

Make a spring cleaning also a spring clearing. It is a fine time to realize how many things you have that you never use and to release yourself from their tyranny.

Patterson's Column

A "knocker," talking to me said "I think that old Mexia is dead—and I believe that never more will things be as in days of yore. I cannot stand a quiet town, and I can see we're going down." So then, he said, "I think that I shall bid Mexia a fond goodbye." HE'S GONE A MONTH AND I WILL BET THAT NOT A SOUL HAS MISSED HIM YET.

A "booster" stopped to chat awhile, his grip was firm—he wore a smile. He said, "your store looks good to me, you're in the town where you should be, and I am glad to hear you say that you are in Mexia to stay. This is a coming town you chose—SAY DON'T IT BEAT H——L HOW SHE GROWS."

Now here's a word
Just leave or take it
MEXIA WILL BE JUST
WHAT WE MAKE IT.

—Patterson.

Vicks
OVER 17 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY
VAPORUB
For All Cold Troubles

University Girls Wearing the Pants

AUSTIN, Texas, April 28.—University men either wore second best suits today or stood in barrels, while the University of Texas Junior co-eds escorted senior co-eds to the annual "Junior Prom."

The junior girls, in the role of fair Romeos, left the bulk of the male students stranded without presentable wearing apparel. They borrowed the best suits, shirts, ties and other men's furnishings that was "vampable" in order to put a real kick in the party for the senior women.

The party was so "realistic" that chaperones were kept busy preserving propriety, it was rumored.

The farmer received a hard jolt from the law of economics, but he is coming back.

Pepsinated Calomel Is Better than the Old-Time Sickening Kind

It is gentle, imported English Calomel, combined with Pepsin and other helpful ingredients. It is mild but certain, causing no harshness or unpleasantness and will absolutely relieve indigestion, billiousness, bad colds, constipation and sick headaches. And best of all it does it at once—quickly and pleasantly. Take one small tablet at bed-time and you will get up hungry and feeling fine. Recommended by Bennetts Drug Store.

Constipation Conquered

Don't let constipation poison your blood and curtail your energy. If your liver and bowels don't work properly take Carter's Little Liver Pills today and your trouble will cease. For dizziness, blotchy skin, lack of appetite and headache.

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Irate Poultrymen Ambush Thieves

ALDING, Texas, April 27.—Secreting himself in his chicken house one morning last week, armed with his old faithful "double-barrel," J. D. Spence lay in wait for persons who had in previous nights raided his roost.

As a result of the "ambush," one of a trio of chicken thieves is plucking buckshot instead of feathers.

For more than a month farmers in this vicinity have been sleeping on their firearms because of the raids chicken thieves have been making on their roosts.

In its last session congress passed a tariff and called it "flexible." Now it's devoting its whole attention to making other people tell the truth.

Program Pleases Large Crowd at The Legion Hall

The American Legion and Ladies Auxiliary were entertained last Tuesday night with one of the best programs that has yet rendered in the presence of these combined memberships. Comrade Harry Porter had the program in charge and presided over the occasion. He wrote letters to all the members telling them of the program and on the day of the meeting saw many of the members in person and urged them to be present.

One of the first features of the program made up of features was a reading by Mrs. W. B. Landrum, which she presented in her own inimitable and pleasing manner, graciously responding to the encore accorded her.

Scott Reed, County Attorney, of Limestone County, of Groesbeck delivered the San Jacinto address. He spoke in high praise of the American Legion for the service it was rendering the county in calling to the public mind the holidays that commemorate notable events in the history of America and of American States. He reviewed the thrilling history of the battle of San Jacinto and urged that the Legion continue its patriotic services, exemplifying the unselfish sacrifices of the fathers.

Judge Fountain Kirby, also a world war veteran, was introduced next. He spoke with pleasure of being present on the occasion and in a most earnest and forceful way praised the founders of this common wealth and nation for their heroism on so many fields of service and gallantry, saying that the spirit of San Jacinto still lives, that it had found expression during the world war on many battle fields of the old world and that it should never be permitted to die.

The chair introduced Mrs. J. Lowery, paying a high tribute to her wonderful voice. Her contribution in song measured up to the introduction and prolonged applause followed each number presented. Mrs. Lowery won the appreciation of the Legion and Auxiliary, it being freely stated that she possesses one of the very rarest and loveliest of voices to be heard anywhere. She was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. J. M. Stucki, whose services likewise were appreciated by her auditors.

The Auxiliary served a splendid banquet, announcing afterwards that this would be the last until next fall, following the usual custom in this respect, on account of many of the members planning Spring and Summer vacations.

She knows what's good—those Kellogg's Corn Flakes that bring rosy cheeks and sparkling eyes.

To get that flavor be sure to say always, "Kellogg's Corn Flakes."

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Boys and Girls $55 Bicycles Free

Get 25 people to agree to take the Daily News for 12 months—must be people who are not now taking paper—you don't have to collect any money where paper is delivered by carrier. The people ordering paper do not have to pay a year at a time—just 75c each month in advance for 12 months.

The Easiest And Simpliest Bicycle Campaign Ever Held

Fill out the Coupon and bring it or send it in to The Mexia Daily News office.

The Mexia Daily News,
BICYCLE DEPARTMENT
Mexia, Texas.

Send me instructions for securing a $55.00 Bicycle FREE.

Name _____

Address _____ Town _____

Age _____ Parent's Approval _____

Mrs. King Thanks Mexia C. of C. For Pleasures Provided During The Federation Meeting Held in City

The following letters were received from Mrs. J. E. King of San Antonio, who was among the prominent people visiting here during the Third District Federation.

"Hon. John H. Sweatt,
Mexia Chamber of Commerce,
Mexia, Texas.
Dear Mr. Sweatt:

In thanking the different citizens of Mexia who made my stay so pleasant I feel I would be remiss if I did not tell you what a splendid barbecue you gave us at the Reunion Grounds. I am quite sure I never attended anything at any of the meetings which gave me more genuine pleasure. The food was delicious, the fellowship wonderful, and I want to thank you for the honor of being among those present.

You people of Mexia handled everything in such a big way. Your entertainment of the District Convention members would have been a credit to any large City in the state.

Again let me thank you for the genuine hospitality and for the part of the Chamber of Commerce had in making our stay most delightful.

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. J. E. King,
Chairman Board of Supervisors."

"Mr. Ben F. Stollenwerck,
Secy. Chamber of Commerce,
Mexia, Texas.
My Dear Mr. Stollenwerck:

Your letter of April 21st reached me yesterday and I am so glad you asked me to give my impression of Mexia and its people. It has been my privilege and pleasure to attend many State and District meetings of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. I can state without fear or favor that I have never been in any town where hospitality ran rampant and the cooperation of its citizens was so marked as to be placed in evidence no matter which way you turned. The people, generally, over the state who have not been to Mexia, have like myself, I feel sure, drawn their conclusions of a wild oil town. This of course, was brought about by the wide publicity given it when it was necessary to put the place under martial law. No town is responsible for the swooping down upon it of an element that brings reproach with it, but the way you have lived that down and come out victor is nothing short of a miracle.

"The way you people handled the District meeting would have been a credit to any city in Texas. In fact, I just came out of the 5th District Meeting in my own home town and Mexia furnished me information along the line of hospitality that I will never forget and only wish I had known better how before our meeting was held here. I see many ways we could have improved.

"Any town with a Chamber of Commerce with the vision that you men have and the ability and vim to apply your vision can't help but succeed. I predict a marvelous growth for Mexia in the next ten years. It would be impossible to keep in check a town inhabitated by such splendid far-seeing people. Want you to know I am glad I went to Mexia, and hope the times come when I can go again. I was especially impressed with your school buildings. Your high school building would be a credit to any large city of the country. Your other public buildings, and in fact every part of the city shows you are doing the things worth while. Really, I wish I could express to you what my impression of Mexia is—but the English fails me.

"I do want to say in conclusion that it would be impossible for me to offer any criticism. If there is anything special you would like for me to say, write it and sign my name, you have completely sold Mexia to me. Glad to have you use any or all of this as you see fit.

"Sincerely,
"Mrs. J. E. King."

CHILDREN PRESENT NEW BIBLE TO FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

When Dr. Hudson came to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church he found that the pulpit Bible was badly worn from long use, and that even some of the leaves were missing, so he set about to have a new Bible supplied.The children of the primary department got busy and saved up their pennies and nickels and on Sunday morning they appeared with a new up to date edition of the "Book of the Law," and just before the morning service was start ed Master Henry Moore, on the part of the children of the Sunday school, presented the Book to Dr. Hudson, who accepted it in a few well chosen words of appreciation.

An appropriate program of song was rendered by the children which was enjoyed by the large congregation.

There were 110 present at the Sun day school, the largest number in many years.

YOUR WINDSHIELD OR EYES.

Caught in a rain with no windshield cleaner, you slow down and drive cautiously. Unless you can see clearly, 20 miles an hour is dangerous—almost foolhardy.

Yet hundreds of thousands of men actually invite needless risks of accidents, simply because they do not realize that faulty eyes make their driving as risky all the time as a rain-spattered windshield does once in a while.

You believe you are not in this group. With entire sincerity you say, "I can see. My eyes are not faulty. I drive all right. I've escaped accidents."

But can you see well? Is your eyesight normal? Because you have not had a serious accident means nothing with regard to your sight. In escaping accidents you may have been pressing your luck.

You've never looked through the sharp, perfect eyes of another person to compare your vision with his. You can't measure your height without a tape measure—you can't know your weight without a scale. And by the same token you can't know if your eyesight is up to par without a scientific eye-examination.

There is but one way to know, and only one—an eye-examination. It may or may not show that you need glasses. But in any event it will bring you the confidence of knowing you are safeguarded against the dangers of imperfect vision.

This confidence is worth possessing. Think what it would mean to you if you knew that every other driver in Mexia had flawless vision. You owe the same duty to him that he owes to you—the duty that every motorist owes to the public safety. Have your eyes examined.

Accidents happen on Mexia's streets almost daily. You may be the next one.

YOUR WORKING COPY

This paper is putting forth a most successful campaign which is daily bringing in most satisfactory comments. To be entirely truthful, the widespread gratification as expressed has been astonishing. Success was expected but not to such an extent and in so short a time.

Bible reading always has been and always will be general and constant. The publishers of this Large Print Red Letter Edition of the Bible fully realized this, and they also realized that few households do not contain some edition of the Book, either an heirloom wherein the family records were set down, or a copy given by a loved one, or perhaps a Bible treasured as a keepsake of one who has passed on. This is all as it should be, and these should be preserved for memory's sake most carefully. But let us use a modern phrase—what everybody needs is a new "working copy" of the Bible, one that is printed on the most durable paper, one set in the kind of type most easily read, one that the children can call their own to handle as they will without fear that in their carelessness they may destroy the book we have so cherished.

Get a Bible constructed by the last and best bookmaking process which everybody can handle. This paper shows on another page how to acquire one.

DALLAS.—A 14-story hotel, costing $1,000,000 will be constructed on Main and Harwood street here, according to plans announced Monday by Carl Hilton, manager of the Waldorf hotel. Hilton and a group of Iowa capitalists will finance the new hotel.

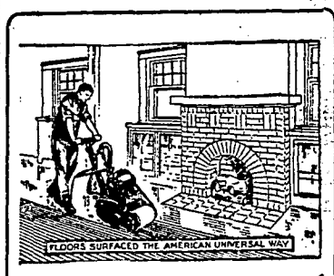
The army aviators now on world tour have no easy task. In other words they are not out on a sky lark.

Municipalities League Extends Invite to City

The office of the Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of an invitation from the League of Texas Municipalities issuing an invitation to the civic bodies of Mexia to attend a meeting of the League of Texas Municipalities which will be held at Ennis on May 7 and 8.

The office of the Chamber of Commerce has not yet been advised whether anyone in Mexia will avail themselves of this invitation or not.

HOUSTON.—J. B. Warren, is being sought by police in connection with the burning to death of E. W. Flagler and Mrs. Ethel Raab. Warren is charged with murder and arson, following the fatal fire at Mrs. Raab's residence.



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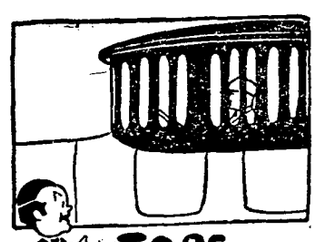

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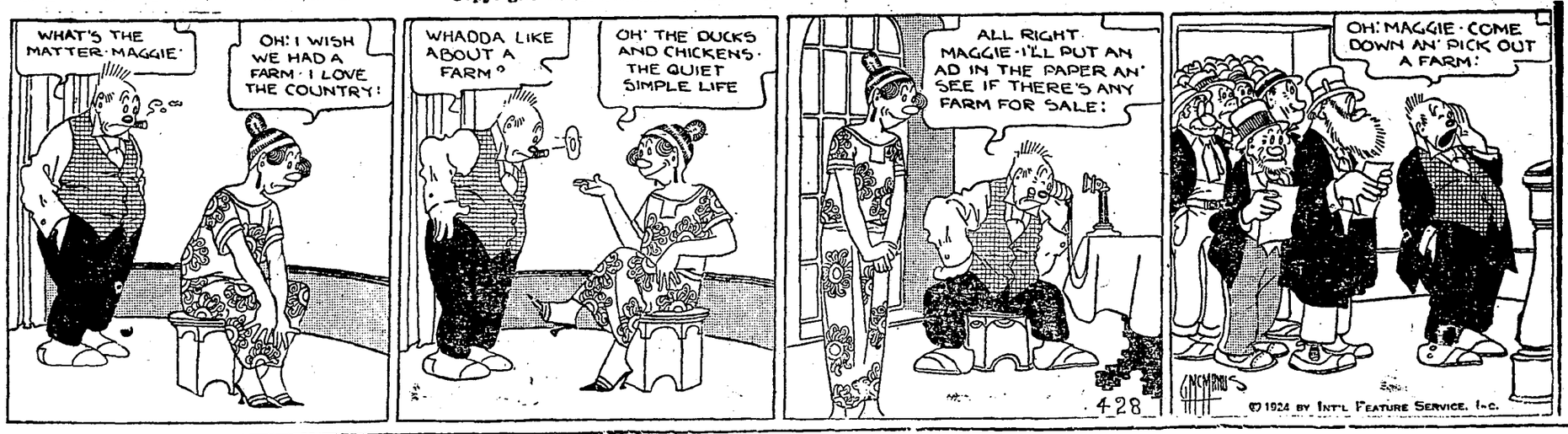
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REAL SILK HOSIERY—The economical way of buying silk hose. Mrs. J. D. Burchim, representative. Phone 398, address 223 East Milam street. 20J7

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Former Mexia Lady Famous Musician

From the Portland Oregonian we clip the following account of a musical recital in that city in which a former Mexia lady figured prominently. Mrs. Carroll was born at Tehuacana and lived there and in Mexia for many years, and is well known to all old timers here, who will take pride in her musical career:

Rehearsal Is Praised.

Many expressions of pleasure were heard after the joint rehearsal at the MacDowell club by Mrs. Eulah Mitchell Carroll, pianist, and Mrs. Blanche Williams Segersten, soprano. One Portland musician declared that she had enjoyed this particular recital more than almost any other given by the MacDowell club. In addition to the work done by this favorite pianist of Portland, Mrs. Carroll was most gracious in responding to encores and recalls, which were all the more enthusiastic because of the element of welcome to her after her long absence in the east, back into the musical circles of the city.

Mrs. Segersten's singing was warmly received and the artistic contents of her programme were interestingly delivered. Mrs. Segersten, too, was generous with encores, and she was obliged to respond to several recalls. She made a very charming picture as she stood in the curve of the piano, one which the audience present was not slow to appreciate and admire. Several spoke of it after the concert. Altogether Mrs. Carroll and Mrs. Segersten gave a recital which will probably be long remembered in the annals of the MacDowell club.

Vegetables And Dried Fruit Are Now Very Popular

Spring is the time of the year when those elements of the diet which are supplied by fruits and vegetables are most needed, and often hardest to obtain. It is too early for local produce in the greater part of the country, and the products of the southern trucking sections are often very expensive. The minerals, vitamines and cellulose or roughage, in which our civilized diet is generally deficient anyway, and found chiefly in the fruits and vegetables which are apt to be scarce on our tables in late winter and early spring. The lassitude which is associated with the first warm days is probably due as much to diet as to weather.

The wise housewife, while supplying her table with as much fresh fruit as possible, will not neglect to supplement this with a liberal use of dried fruits, which are far less expensive and very wholesome. It is a good rule to remember that about half one's diet by bulk should consist of fruits and vegetables. The food served on most American tables will be found to include only about half as much fruit as it should. If dried fruits are used whenever possible, in desserts, breads and salads, they will do much toward balancing the family ration.

Quite a number of gardens are being cultivated in Mexia, from which young onions, radishes, lettuce and mustard are now being gathered, while the surrounding farmers who planted for home use and for supplying the Mexia market are bringing in baskets and buckets filled with wholesome edibles and returning with money in their pockets.

The Mexia market is a real inducement to farmers to bring their produce to this city to sell and to do their trading here.

More and more it becomes apparent that poultry should be added as one of the largest industries of the section. The Mexia territory does not maintain itself in poultry and poultry products.

NOTICE

This section of the county is free from quarantine and it is not compulsory that you dip your cattle. But in order to prevent any return of ticks and to clean your cattle of lice you should dip them. I have made arrangements thru the Commissioners Court to dip your cattle without cost to you, during March April and May. I will dip on the following dates, weather permitting: Reunion Ground vat, April 7th; Rosson, April 8th; Springfield, April 9th; Trotter, April 10th; L. C. Estes vat, April 11th. Other dates will be anonunced late. Notify your neighbors and make arrangements to dip on above dates. For further information, see O. LEWIS, Mexia, Texas. tf

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon John H. Brown and M. J. Kallet by manking publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the First Monday in May, A. D., 1924, the same being the 5th day of May, A. D., 1921 then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 11th day of April, A. D., 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court as No. 4450-B, wherein Bradford Supply Company, a corporation is plaintiff, and John H. Brown and M. J. Kallett are defendants, and said petition alleging:

That plaintiff at the instance and request of defendants on or about July 18, 1922 and covering a period through December, 1922, sold and delivered to them various goods, machinery and oil well supplies, amounting to the sum of $1818.09, in consideration of which defendants promised to pay plaintiff upon demand said amount, all of which is fully shown by an itemized statement of the dates goods and amounts charged therefor attached to plaintiff's petition; that said material was used by defendants in the development and improvement of an oil and gas lease; that on March 26, 1923, plaintiff fixed a materialman's lien as required by law covering all the lease, leasehold estate, oil and gas rights in and under the following land: Being a part of the land owned by W. D. Freeman, H. W. Freeman and H. C. Freeman and described in a deed record in Vol. 105, page 434, deed records of Limestone County, Texas. Beginning in the southeast line of said tract, north 52½ east, 437.7 vrs. from the southwest corner of the tract which is the southwest corner of a twenty acre tract heretofore leased to Joseph Danciger; Thence North 35½ west with Danciger's northeast line, 356.7 vrs.; Thence north 52½ east 158.2 vrs. to the southwest line of a 40 acre tract heretofore leased to R. L. Sprinkle; Thence south 35½ east with Sprinkle's Southwest line, 356.7 vrs. to the southeast line of Freeman's tract which is R. L. Sprinkle's southwest corner; Thence south 52½ west 158.2 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres. That said lien was filed on said lease hold estate for oil and gas rights, said lease hold estate being known as the Wofford & Jackson lease, which was operated by Ben Wofford and M. M. Jackson under the firm name of Wofford & Jackson, as agents of these Defendants and the remaining joint owners. That said account is past due and unpaid and defendants have failed and refused to pay same or any part thereof except the sum of $500.00 to plaintiff's damage in the sum of $1319.09.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendants be cited to appear and answer herein, and that it have judgement foreclosing its Materialman's lien to satisfy said indebtedness of $1318.09, together with costs of suit and such other relief as it may be justly entitled.

Herein fail not, and have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court. at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this the 11th day of April, A. D., 1924.

(Seal)

JOHNSON WAKEFIELD,
Clerk, District Court,
Limestone, County.
By RUBY LAWLEY, Deputy.

April 11-18-25 May 2.

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39 gravity and above	1.75

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Grade A	$1.65
Grade B at Blue Ridge, Hull and Pierce Junction	1.40

Louisiana-Arkansas.

Caddo.

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32 to 34.9 gravity	1.50
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33 gravity and above	1.60
Below 33 gravity	1.50

Bull Bayou.

38 gravity and above	$1.65
35 to 37.9 gravity	1.50
32 to 34.9 gravity	1.35
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Crichton	1.50
Bellevue	1.55
Jennings	1.65
Vinton	1.65
Edgerly crude	1.65
26 gravity and above	1.35
25 to 25.9 gravity	1.20
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Smackover.

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33 gravity and above	$1.70
Below 33 gravity	1.60
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Below 23 gravity at 60 degrees	1.00

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Other Pennsylvania grades	4.00
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Ragland	1.00
Coring	1.95
Somerset, heavy	2.15
Somerset, light	2.15

CANDIDATES

Announcements

1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.

For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN

For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)

For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS

For District Clerk—
ELLIS DICKERSON.
M. A. AINSWORTH.

For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
(Re-Election Sought)

For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER.

For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.

For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election.)

For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEEN
A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM

For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS, (re-election.)

For County Treasurer—
H. C. FITZGERALD.

For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.

For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)

County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)

For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—
S. H. FLAKE

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4
VIRGIL D. WOOD

For Constable, Precinct No. 4—
JOE P. FELZ

For Public Weigher—
ROY H. STOKES, Re-election
(Second term.)

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37	Dallas Ft. Worth	5:14 a. m.
17	Dallas Ft. Worth	4:35 a. m.
19	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:55 a. m.

South bound—

346	To cut-off	7:00 a. m.
16	Houston San Antonio	11:45 a. m.
32	From Dallas	10:08 a. m.
38	Austin San nAtonio	12:21 a. m.
18	Houston San Antonio	1:37 a. m.
26	Houston San Antonio	12:16 a. m.

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Yesterday's Results.

Corsicana 6, Temple 4.
Mexia 11, Austin 7.
Marlin 3, Waco 0.

Standing of Clubs.

Club—	P	W	L	Pct
Corsicana	4	4	0	1.000
Waco	4	3	1	.750
Temple	4	2	2	.500
Mexia	5	2	3	.400
Marlin	4	1	3	.250
Autsin	5	1	4	.200

Where They Play Today.

Mexia at Temple.
Marlin at Corsicana.
Waco at Austin.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Dallas 14, Witchita Falls 0.
Fort Worth 5, Shreveport 3.
San Antonio 2, Beaumont 0.
Houston 9, Galveston 3.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
San Antonio	11	10	1	.909
Fort Worth	11	8	3	.727
Witchita Falls	10	6	4	.600
Dallas	11	6	5	.556
Houtson	11	6	5	.556
Beaumont	11	4	7	.367
Galveston	11	2	9	.182
Shreveport	10	1	9	.100

Where They Play Today.

Witchita Falls at Dallas.
Houston at Galveston.
Beaumont at San Antonio.
Fort Worth at Shreveport.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Detroit 4, Chicago 3.
Washington 9, Boston 6.
Cleveland 10, St. Louis 9.
New York 11, Philadelphia 2.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
Detroit	11	8	3	.727
New York	12	8	4	.667
Philadelphia	10	6	4	.600
Chicago	11	6	5	.545
Cleveland	10	5	5	.500
Washington	12	5	7	.417
Boston	10	3	7	.300
St. Louis	12	3	9	.250

Where They Play Today.

Cleveland at St. Louis.
Chicago at Detroit.
Boston at Washington.
New York at Philadelphia.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

New York 9, Brooklyn 5.
St. Louis 6, Cincinnati 4.
Chicago 4, Pittsburgh 2.
Three scheduled.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	10	8	2	.800
Chicago	12	8	4	.667
Cncinnati	11	7	4	.636
Boston	7	3	4	.429
Brooklyn	10	4	6	.400
Pittsburgh	11	4	7	.356
St. Louis	12	4	8	.333
Phlidadelphia	7	2	5	.286

Where They Play Today.

St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.
Philadelphia at New York.
Brooklyn at Boston.

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Paris 9, Sulphur Springs 3.
Greenville 1, Marshall 0.
Longview 3, Tyler 2.
Mount Pleasant 6-8, Texarkana 2.

Standing of Clubs.

Club—	P	W	L	Pct
Mount Pleasant	5	4	1	.800
Paris	4	3	1	.750
Slupbur Springs	5	3	2	.600
Marshall	5	3	2	.600
Tyler	5	2	3	.400
Longview	5	2	3	.400
Greenville	5	2	3	.400
Texarkana	4	0	4	.000

Where They Play Today.

Greenville at Longview.
Texarkana at Paris.
Marshall at Sulphur Springs.
Tyler at Mount Pleasant.

WORTHAM LADY NAMED ON STATE COMMITTEE.

In the appointments to the Committee on Public School credits for outside study in music, Prof Frank L. Reed, chairman of the department of Music of the University of Texas and President of the Texas Music Association has named Mrs. John Monroe of Wortham. Others on this committee are H. E. Meyer, Daniel Baker College, Brownwood, chairman; Mrs. C. B. Brooks, Paris; Mrs. E. F. Hearne, Corsicana Y. M. C. A. and Miss Alice Dyer of Abilene.

FULL ATTENDANCE OF C. OF C. DIRECTORS URGED BY SECRETARY

Secretary Stollenwerck of the Chamber of Commerce states that he is very anxious for a full attendance of the Board of Directors of that organization Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. This will be his last meeting and he is preparing a full report of the activities of his office as well as the state of the financial affairs, and the matter of his success will also be considered.

J. E. Farrow, Secretary of the Groesbeck Chamber of Commerce, was a visitor here Saturday night.

Mexia Romps On Austin Saturday

BUTLER'S CATCH FEATURE OF ONELY GAME PLAYED IN ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN, Texas, April 27.—Mexia trounced the Rangers here Saturday 16 to 6. Butler made a sensational catch of Nairn's liner in the ninth with the bsese full to end the game.

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Chaney, 2 b	4	1	1	3	4	0
Matthews, s s	4	2	1	2	1	0
Griggs, c f	4	0	0	3	0	0
Anheier, 1 b	4	0	0	6	1	0
Clements, 3 b	4	1	2	2	0	1
Bedford, l f	4	0	3	3	0	0
Courteny, r f	3	1	2	1	0	0
Henderson, c	4	0	0	5	1	1
Pipkin, p	4	1	1	2	1	0
Nairn	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	36	6	10	27	8	2
Mexia—						
Geppert, s s	6	3	3	2	4	2
Butler, l f	4	4	3	5	0	0
McDowell, r f	6	3	4	0	0	0
Bryan, c f	6	2	3	1	0	0
Peake, 1 b	4	1	0	10	0	0
Leedy, 2 b	5	1	2	1	4	1
Jones, 3 b	5	0	2	1	1	0
Fowlkes, c	5	1	1	6	0	0
Peel, p	5	1	2	1	4	0
Total	46	16	20	27	17	3

Nairn batted for Pipkin in eighth.

Mexia .....200 060 026—16
Austin .....121 200 000 —6

Two-base hits—Butler 3, McDowell, Chaney, Courtney 2, Bryan 2, Peel, Jones, Bedford. Stolne base—Matthews. Struck out—By Pipkin 5, Peel 5. Bases on balls—Off Pipkin 3, Peel 3

AUSTIN, Texas, April 28.—The Mexia Gushers made it two out of three over the Rangers here Sunday before a packed grand stand, 10 to 7. The Mexia nine batted out its victory off Brooks in the first two innings. Bryan made a great catch in the seventh inning on Clement's liner.

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Chaney, 2 b	5	2	2	2	2	0
Matthews, s s	5	1	1	2	5	0
Griggs, c f	2	1	1	0	0	0
Anheir, 1 b	2	0	0	11	0	0
Clements, 3 b	3	1	0	3	1	1
Bedford, l f	3	1	1	1	0	0
Courtney, r f	4	1	2	4	0	0
Henderson, c	4	0	1	4	1	1
Brooks, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Whitworth, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Total	32	7	8	27	12	2
Mexia—						
Geppert, s s	5	1	1	1	7	2
Butler, l f	5	2	2	0	0	0
McDowell, r f	5	2	2	1	0	0
Bryan, c f	5	2	1	2	2	0
Peake, 1 b	4	1	2	14	0	0
Leedy, 2 b	2	1	0	2	3	1
Fowlkes, 3 b	3	1	0	1	1	0
Schieffer, c	2	1	1	6	0	1
Crow, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sanders, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Total	34	11	9	27	16	5

Mexia .....450 020 000—11
Austin .....500 000 200— 7

Home run—Courtney. Three-base hit—Peake. Two-base hits—Matthews, McDowell, Schieffer, Chaney, Anheir. Stolen bases—Clements Leedy. Struck out—By Brooks 1, Sanders 1. Whitworth 1. Bases on balls—Off Brooks 1, Sanders 1, Whitworth 1. Pitchers' records—Off Crow, 3 hits, 5 runs, in 2-3 inning; Sanders, 5 hits, 2 runs, in 8 1-3 innings; Brooks, 6 hits 7 runs, in 1 1-3 innings; Whitworth, 3 hits, 4 runs, in 7 2-3 innings.

NEW YORK.—Helen Hayes, 20, started for Texas on a "borrowed" horse. Police arrested her at Netcong, N. J., on charges of horse theft.

MARLIN BLANKS WACO.

WACO, Texas, April 27.—Home runs by Alexander and Craig won a pitchers' battle for Marlin over Waco Sunday, 3 to 0.

Waco—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kelly, l f	4	0	2	0	0	0
Lewis, s s	3	0	0	1	6	0
Hall, 2 b	4	0	1	0	1	1
Province, c f	4	0	1	6	0	0
McIver, r f	3	0	1	1	0	0
Shires, 1 b	4	0	0	11	2	0
McBrides, 3 b	4	0	0	0	0	1
Humphreys, c	3	0	0	7	2	0
Hill, p	2	0	1	1	2	0
Total	31	0	6	27	13	2
Marlin—						
Rawlins, s s	3	1	0	5	5	0
Craig, c f	4	1	2	3	0	0
Greer, r f	4	0	1	3	0	1
Pipkin, 1 b	4	0	0	8	2	0
Alexander, 2 b	4	1	1	2	2	0
Bressler, l f	4	0	0	0	0	0
White, 3 b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Covington, c	3	0	0	4	2	0
Thomas, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Total	32	3	5	27	13	1

Waco .....000 000 000—0

Home runs—Alexander, Craig. Two-base hit—Province. Stolen base—Hall. Struck out—By Hill 7, Thomas 4. Bases on balls—Off Hill 1, Thomas 3.

OILERS CONTINUE TO WIN.

CORSICANA, Texas, April 27—The Corsicana Oilers overcame Temple's lead and won the second game Sunday from the Surgeons, 6 to 4, before a capacity crowd. Corsicana hit opportunely in fifth and sixth innings to win.

Corsicana—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge, c f	4	2	2	3	0	0
Grubb, 3 b	2	0	1	1	4	0
Thornton, 1 b	4	0	2	11	0	1
Barrett, r f	4	0	0	3	0	0
Hamilton, l f	4	0	1	2	0	0
Sain, s s	4	0	2	1	3	0
Malmquist, 2 b	1	1	1	3	2	0
Vann, c	3	1	1	4	2	0
Muncy, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Lind, p	2	1	0	0	0	0
Hollis, p	1	1	0	0	2	0
Total	29	6	10	28	14	1
Temple—						
Lance, r f	5	0	2	0	0	1
Moore, s s	3	1	1	3	1	0
Brown, c f	5	0	2	3	0	0
Lind, 1 b	4	0	1	6	2	0
Lacy, c	2	1	2	7	3	0
Nicholas, l f	4	1	1	2	0	0
Nichols, 2 b	4	1	1	2	0	0
Farley, 3 b	4	0	1	1	1	0
Johnson, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Clair, p	2	0	1	0	2	0
Webb	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	38	4	12	24	9	3

Corsicana .....000 033 00*—6
Temple .....121 000 000—4

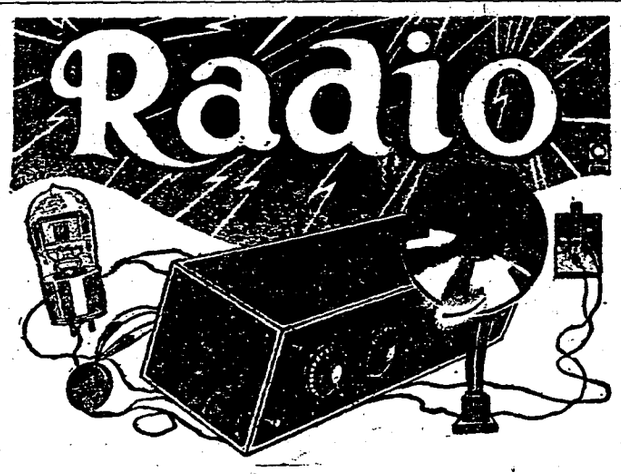
Home run—Lacy. Two-base hits—Brown, Swede Lind, Vann, Etheridge. Stolne bases—Lance, Moore. Struck out—By Johnson 4, Clair 2, Lind 3, Hollis 1. Bases on balls—Muncy 1, Lind 1, Hollis 1, Johnson 2, Clair 5. Pitchers' records—Off Muncy 3 hits, 3 runs in 1 innning, Johnson 7 hits, 3 runs in 4 innings; Lind 6 hits, 1 run in 5 innings; Hollis 3 hits, no runs in 3 innings; Clair 3 hits, 3 runs, 4 innings.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Crow have moved into their new Ross Avenue home, which is one of the most attrtctive in the city.

When a man has cornered about all the money he thinks he needs he feels qualified to tell others about the advantages of being poor.

British women have trouble finding husbands. Men are hard to find the world over.

If a woman's intuition in regard to another woman is usually accurate it may be because she knows that she would think if she were in the other woman's place.



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Tune In Time—Central Standard Time

By DAISEY MAYS

(See Station Calls Above)

April 28, 1924

6:00 to 7:00 p. m.

WIP, 6, Uncle Wip's stories.
WDAF, 6 to 7, School of the Air.
WWJ, 6, Musical program.
WGY, 6:15, "Farm Bureau Organization."
WGY, 6:25, "Gardening in Prose and Verse."
WOO, 6:30, Adelphia Hotel Concert orchestra.
WDAR, 6:30, Dream Daddy's bedtime stories.
KPO, 6:30 to 7:30, Seiger's orchestra.
WOAW, 6:30, Dinner program, orchestra.
WGY, 6:45, WGY orchestra.

7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

WHB, 7 to 8, Educational program; Sweeny Radio orchestra.
WCX, 7:30, Musical program.
WDAR, 7, Opera talk.
WBAP, 7:30 to 8:30, Concert.
WAAW, 7:30 to 9, Musical program
KPO, 7:30 to 8:30, Children's hour.

8:00 to 9:00 p. m.

WSB, 8 to 9, Program.
WOS, 8, Musical program.
WLW, 8, Concert.
WDAF, 8 to 9:15, Popular program.
WOO, 8:10, Fox Theatre orchestra.
WDAR, 8:26, Stanley Symphony orchestra.
WFAA, 8:30 to 9:30, Recital.
WLW, 8:30, Talk and violin duets.

9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

WOAW, 9, Musical program.
WDAR, 9:10 Lanin's Dance orchestra.
WLW, 9, Theatre review; Cincinnati orchestra.
KPO, 9 to 9:30, Seiger's orchestra.
KGW, 9, Talk.
WOO, 9:03, Organ recital.
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45, College orchestra of Denton, Texas.
WOO, 9:30, Havana Casino Dance orchestra.

10:00 to 11:00 p. m.

KPO, 10 to 10:45, Organ recital.
KGW, 10, Jane Burns Albert, soprano.
KFI, 10 to 11, Evening Herald concert.
WSB, 10:45, Oldtime music.
KPO, 10:45 to 11, Talk, editor of the Sunset Magazine.

11:00 to 12:00 Midnight

KFI, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.
KPO, 11 to 12, Program.
KGW, 11:30, Program, Musical Department, Chemawa Indian school.
WDAF, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

SHRINE CIRCUS AND MERCHANTS AND AUTOMOBILE EXBIBIT IS OFF WITH A BANG AS PLANS MATURE

Reports from Shrine officials early this morning indicate the forth coming Shrine Circus and Merachants and Automobile Exhnbit is off with a bang. Machinery started working and the organization is working as a unit to put a week's program in Mexia that will be very much akin to a community fair.

Every live organization in town will be invited to participate in this week of fun, amusement and trades week, as the bigger it is, the better it is.

It is contemplated to offer inducements that will bring our neighbors to Mexia and it will be a splendid opportunity to show them what we have to offer in this city that vision is building.

Efforts will be put forth to encourage a made in Mexia exhibit, along with other exhibits that the merchants may deem wise to put on.

Every line of business will be envouraged to participate in this circus and fair week. A splendid opportunity will be afforded the merchants to display their goods and distribute advertising in any form they see fit.

The Shriners report that the city will soon be alive with advertising for this coming event and not only this city, but the neighboring towns will be covered and lithographs are now on the road for that purpose. Stickers will be seen on automobiles that traverse this section of the country, and there is no limit to the publicity campaign that will be waged.

This is not a traveling street carnival coming to town, but a circus and the only out of town people, being the show put on by local Shriners, with pair circus performers who will entertain the crowd with some real worth while and enjoyable circus acts that can be seen only in high class and some of the largest circus.

A popularity campaign will be announced soon in the paper.

An official of the local Shriners organization stated this morning that when the money is all counted and the show is all over, the city of Mexia in general will reap far more financial benefit and advertising from the returns than the producing company, from whom the Shriners are virtually renting the tent and equipment and employing actual circus ring performers.

In connection with the present program of the Shriners, they are now getting things together for their pre-ceremonial banquet to be held Friday night, May 2nd at the Majestic Hotel, at which they will have a novel evenings, entertainment for the nobility and their ladies, discuss final plans for the circus and also the trip to Waco, May 8th, to attend Karem's ceremonial.

All Shriners are requested to acquaint themselves with the details of the banquet and the general public is invited to watch the advertising program for the coming event.

PAULINE FREDERICK
At the National Today.

DALLAS, Texas, April 28.—H. C. Yates was charged with murder here today in connection with the shooting to death of his brother-in-law, Lee H. Johnson. Johnson was shot down at Yates' home in the presence of the latter's wife and 16-year-old son, Douglas. Yates surrendered to police immediately after the shooting.

NEW YORK, April 28.—"A lion is a gentleman among beasts," Carl A. Kelly, hunter, says. A gorilla is "pathetically affectionate" and an elephant "a charming creature."

FORT EDWARD, N. Y., April 28. Floyd Pelletier tattooed his initial upon Mrs. Hazel Harris' face and two arrows on her arm, branding the woman as his "for the rest of her life." Police are seeking Pelletier.

On Display

In Our Show Window

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Brooch and Bar Pins up from.....$4.50
Eversharp Pencils from.....$1.00
Fountain Pens up from.....$2.50
Pen and Pencil Sets up from.....$8.50
Diamond Rings up from.....$25.00
Ivory Pendants.....$5.00 to $12.50
Pearl and Bead Necklaces—
—$5.00 to $50.00
Hand-tooled Leather Bags $10 to $25
Wrist Watches, up from.....$35.00
New Mesh Bags up from.....$7.50
Vanity Cases.....$8.50 to $25
Lip Sticks.....$2.00 to $35.00
Powder Boxec.....$3.50 to $20.00
Diamond Bar Pins.....$15.00 to $50.00

Diamond Rings up from $25

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Elgin Watches, up from.....$15.00
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Gold Signet Rings, up from.....$ 5.00
Gold Belt Buckles, up from.....$15.00
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